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You Are Not Mine

Rose Campbell Starr

You are not mine,
  Nor any of the things my own must be.
What perverse quirk of life or fate has sent
  Your love to me?

For I was warned; the night we met
  Black cats passed straight across my path. I knew.
And I was warned in other ways against
  My love for you.

So it shall pass.
  My father's blood is all too strong to kill.
I shall return before the summer sun
  To my ancestral mansion on the hill;

To my cold mansion where the snowdrifts deep
  In winter months confine me, but where spring
Comes back eternal as the glorious stars,
  Forever new, yet ever wondering.

On why it is that love must be like this:
  Why does it seek its home in winds and rain,
And build on sand, where the first angry wave
  Will hurl it back into the sea again?

The fault is mine; I have not sought to build
  Upon those dreary rocks, near pine trees tall,
But alien sands, and these enchanted seas
  And magic coral reefs held me in thrall.

I may yet build
  My heart's true home on solid earth and free,
Where not even memory's mark can come between
  My own and me.

The H-Bomb and YOU

By Frank Gaynor*

EARLIER this year, the world was told of a new scientific accomplishment: The possibility to construct a nuclear fusion bomb, commonly referred to as "hydrogen bomb" or "H-bomb." This announcement was soon followed by warnings of a terrible danger—that the new superweapon might prove to be the agency of universal destruction and wipe out the entire human race in a matter of minutes.

In the mind of the layman, the new weapon looms as a Frankenstein's monster that is bound to turn against its own creator and destroy not only him but his entire race and make his whole world uninhabitable as well. To the scientist it signifies merely the successful solution of another problem, another step in the quest for knowledge, another practical application of a natural law and process, and he feels confident that he can control it and remain its master.

Mystery breeds fear; that which is mysterious is always all the more terrifying. Let us attempt to lift a corner of the veil of almost superstitious mystery which shrouds the scientific principle of the new weapon, to try to cast some light on the subject, so as to allay the doubts and fears of the common man, to some extent at least.

Far be it from me to belittle the significance and potential dangers inherent in the new superweapon. It *is* the generator of tremendous power—destructive power —and in the wrong hands it can work horrible havoc and dreadful damage. Let *If* mankind were to be wiped out by the "H-bomb," this tragic and abrupt ending of the history of the human race would indeed carry a touch of supreme irony. For the force which man would thus have set free to destroy him and his entire world, is the very same basic force which has made all life—human, animal and vegetable — possible on earth: The energy generated and radiated by the sun.

Before we can discuss the generation of energy by the sun, which is the principle behind the "H-bomb," it will be necessary to prevent a few introductory remarks on atoms and nuclear reactions.

All matter as we know it consists of atoms. Up to a couple of decades ago, atoms were considered to be the ultimate, indivisible building blocks of matter. Today we know that this statement has to be qualified by the addition of the word *chemical*. Today we define the atom as that smallest particle of matter which cannot be subdivided, resolved into more elementary components, by *chemical* means. Nuclear physicists have discovered that the atom is a complex system of elementary particles, and they have found the way to subdivide, "to split" atoms—as the unfortunate inhabitants of Hiroshima and Nagasaki learned by way of a very spectacular and efficient object lesson in 1945.

The atoms of every chemical element are miniature, sub-microscopic solar systems. Every atom consists of a central nucleus about which planetary electrons are circling, like planets about a sun. The nucleus itself consists of *protons* and *neutrons*, collectively called *nucleons*. Protons are charged with positive electricity; neutrons are chargeless, electrically neutral particles. The number of protons (the total number of positive electric charges on the nucleus) is called the

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atomic number of the element; the total number of nucleons (protons plus neutrons) is referred to as the *mass number*. The nucleus of every atom of a given element contains the same fixed number of protons, but not necessarily the same number of neutrons. Atoms of the same chemical element the nuclei of which contain a different number of neutrons are called *isotopes* of the same element. (The chemical properties of these isotopes of the same element are identical, for reasons which we need not discuss here.)

There are 98 known chemical elements, 92 of which occur in nature or can be isolated from natural substances, while the other six (the "transuranic elements") are man-made, artificial laboratory products. (This figure includes the transuranic elements berkelium and californium, the discovery and production of which were announced in February and March, 1950, respectively.) Nuclear chemists expect to discover and synthetize soon further transuranic elements, too.

The arrangement of these elements in the order of increasing atomic numbers—hydrogen being No. 1—is called the *periodic table of the elements*. The heaviest natural element is uranium (atomic number 92). The *extended periodic table* includes also the six transuranic elements—neptunium, plutonium, americium, curium, berkelium and californium, with atomic numbers 93 to 98, in this order.

The first seven elements of the periodic table, the lightest ones, which will be of the most immediate interest to us in the following discussion, are: Hydrogen (atomic number 1), helium (2), lithium (3), beryllium (4), boron (5), carbon (6), and nitrogen (7).

The nucleus of each and every atom of every element—with the sole exception of ordinary hydrogen, the nucleus of which consists of a single proton without any neutron—shows an odd characteristic: The total mass (in connection with atoms and nuclear particles we speak of *mass* rather than *weight*) of the nucleus is slightly less than the sum total of the masses of the protons and neutrons which compose it. The whole seems to be less than the sum of its parts!

It is as if you bought ten cuts of meat, each weighing exactly one pound, and when the butcher has packed them in a bag, you weighed the package and found that it weighed only 9 pounds and 13 ounces. Or, to use a more illustrative example, as if you packed a number of inflated rubber balloons into a box and had to squeeze each balloon a little, reducing its size a tiny bit, in order to get them all into the box. The nucleons seem to lose a very small fraction of their mass when they are packed into an atomic nucleus. This idea is expressed in the term *packing fraction* which is used to designate this apparent loss of mass by each nucleon.

In the previous sentence I used advisedly the expressions "*seem* to lose" and "*apparent* loss," because this fraction of mass is not "lost." According to Einstein's principle of the equivalence of mass and energy, mass and energy are only two different, interchangeable aspects of the same natural property. Mass and energy cannot be lost but only converted into each other. The *mass defect* of the atomic nucleus (this is the term applied to this difference in mass between the nucleus as a whole and the sum total of the masses of the individual nucleons of which it is composed) represents the mass converted into energy when the nucleons are bound together to form a nucleus, and therefore is customarily called *binding energy*. This is the energy which is released in nuclear fission, in other words when a heavy nucleus, composed of a great number of nucleons, is split into two lighter nuclei—as in the bomb dropped on Hiroshima in 1945, which utilized this principle of releasing energy; that bomb, popularly called "atomic" but scientifically referred to as a "nuclear fission bomb," released the energy generated by the splitting of a uranium nucleus (atomic number 92) into two lighter nuclei (for instance, krypton and barium—atomic numbers 36 and 56, respectively). Another way of releasing huge quantities of energy is by *nuclear fusion*—by causing certain very light atoms to combine, fuse into slightly heavier ones. The mass defect of the resulting heavier atom is slightly higher, both numerically and percentually, than that of each fusing lighter atom, and this difference in mass is converted into energy. (Conversely, these light elements would absorb energy when fissioned.)

The energy released by either process is enormous, for according to Einstein's famous equation, $E=mc^2$, the energy obtained equals the mass of the matter

involved multiplied by the square of the speed of light in centimeter per second; in other words by 30,000,000,000 times 30,000,000,000. Thus, for instance, the fission of uranium (of mass number 235) would release 43,000,000,000 British Thermal Units per pound, and the fusion of hydrogen into helium (of mass number 4) would release seven times as much energy, about 300,000,000,000 British Thermal Units per pound.

Two Ways of Energy Release

Thus we have two ways of releasing nuclear energy: By the fission of a very heavy nucleus into two lighter ones, and by the fusion of very light nuclei into a somewhat heavier one. Both processes, *nuclear fission* and *nuclear fusion*, release energy from the same source: The binding energy of atomic nuclei. But there is an important practical difference between the two processes: Fission in the "atomic" bomb is produced when an atom of the heavy element (uranium of mass number 235 or plutonium of mass number 239) captures a free neutron, liberated and hurled at the nuclear "explosive" for this purpose; this process requires a relatively very small energy input. The fission produces not only lighter nuclei and a quantity of free energy, but also several free neutrons which produce fission in other uranium or plutonium nuclei and thus propagate a chain reaction. But if the batch of uranium or plutonium used in the bomb is too small, the neutrons thus released will escape from its surface instead of propagating the fission chain reaction, and therefore the nuclear fission ("atomic") bomb must be of a certain minimum mass or size, called *critical mass*, in order to be operative at all, and must not exceed a certain maximum mass or size lest it go off spontaneously. On the other hand, the detonation of a nuclear fusion bomb ("H-bomb") would require considerable energy investment (in order to make two lighter atoms fuse into a heavier one, mighty forces of mutual electrical repulsion between the positively charged nuclei must be overcome), but on the other hand theoretically there is no limitation on the minimum or maximum mass or size.

The process of nuclear fusion is the source of the energy radiated by most stars, including our own sun. This process takes place in the interior of the sun in the form of a series of *"thermonuclear"* reactions, so called because they are nuclear reactions, i.e. involving changes in atomic nuclei, and occur under, as well as develop, extremely high temperatures. The ultimate result of this series of reactions is the fusion of four atoms of hydrogen, of mass number 1, into an atom of helium, of mass number 4. A carbon atom acts as a catalyst in this process—in other words, it starts, promotes and propagates the reaction without itself being consumed—and when the series of reactions is over and the end product, the helium atom, has been formed, the carbon atom emerges unchanged, ready to take part all over again in this solar cycle of generation of energy. This cycle (customarily referred to as the *carbon cycle*) requires roughly 6,000,000 years, at the end which period of time an estimated 500,000,000 tons of common hydrogen have been changed into 496,000,000 tons of helium. The difference of 4,000,000 tons, less than 1% of mass, is converted into energy, roughly 100,000,000 billion kilowatt hours, radiated into space. This process of creation of helium out of hydrogen with the aid of carbon as a catalyst, with the release of vast quantities of energy as its by-product, requires not only millions of years but also very high temperatures—in the neighborhood of 20 million degrees centigrade.

Up to five years ago it was impossible to reproduce this enormously high temperature range on earth. But five years ago, at Alamagordo, N.M., and in Hiroshima and Nagasaki, Japan, man demonstrated that he had discovered the way to do so, for a split fraction of a second at least—by nuclear fission. The "atomic" bomb, using uranium or plutonium as an "explosive," actually creates such a temperature for a minute part of a second as it goes off; in fact, the central temperature of the exploding "atomic" bomb mass has been estimated to reach 50 million degrees centigrade. A uranium or plutonium fission bomb can therefore, theoretically at least, be very well used as a detonator for the "H-bomb," to "trigger off" the nuclear fusion reaction.

Time Element

Another problem is the time element required for the fusion of hydrogen atoms into helium atoms. Man has not the time our sun has, and cannot plan on pro-

cesses requiring millions of years. Therefore, the common hydrogen isotope of mass number 1 is not a practical "H-bomb" material. We will have to work with a faster-acting nucleus.

It so happens that when the nuclear scientist speaks of "hydrogen," he means the common hydrogen isotope of mass number 1. There are two other isotopes of hydrogen, one of them occurring in nature, the other a synthetic, laboratory-produced isotope. The natural one is called *deuterium* or *heavy hydrogen*. It occurs in natural hydrogen gas as 1 part in 5000; its nucleus, called *deuteron*, consists of 1 proton and 1 neutron. The artificial hydrogen isotope is called *tritium;* its nucleus, called *triton*, consists of 1 proton and 2 neutrons. Tritium is produced in the Argonne National Laboratory of the Atomic Energy Commission, and can be made available in considerable quantities.

These two heavier isotopes of hydrogen are suitable, both theoretically and practically, for use as fusion bomb material, because their fusion can take place in a shorter time and at lower temperatures than required for the fusion of common hydrogen atoms of mass number 1. Of the two, tritium reacts faster at lower temperatures, and also releases more energy, as it will be pointed out below.

Before surveying briefly and comparing the quantities of energy generated by the combinations of these hydrogen isotopes, let us sum up the compositions of the nuclei which are to enter our considerations. The reactions and fusion products indicated in the following paragraphs can be checked and arithmetically verified by simple addition and subtraction of the nucleons listed in the following table:

	No. of Protons	No. of Neutrons	Total No. of Nucleons
Common Hydrogen	**1**	**0**	**1**
Deuteron	**1**	**1**	**2**
Triton	**1**	**2**	**3**
Helium of mass No. 3	**2**	**1**	**3**
Helium of mass No. 4	**2**	**2**	**4**
Lithium of mass No. 6	**3**	**3**	**6**
Lithium of mass No. 7	**3**	**4**	**7**

When two atoms of deuterium fuse, their fusion produces either a tritium atom and an atom of common hydrogen or an atom of helium of mass number 3 plus a free neutron. The mass converted into energy is about 4 million electron-volts (written as 4 *Mev*) in either case. (Electron-volt is a unit of energy used in nuclear physics; we need not go into its explanation further here, since we use it merely as a basis of comparison.)

The fusion of two tritium atoms produces a helium atom of mass number 4 and two free neutrons; the energy released amounts to 11.4 Mev.

The fusion of a deuterium atom with a tritium atom results in the creation of a helium atom of mass number 4 and a free neutron, releasing 17.6 Mev of energy.

As the above comparison shows, tritium is the most abundant source of energy and the most efficient fusion bomb material. It is therefore likely that the name "hydrogen bomb" will turn out to have been a misnomer and the nuclear fusion bomb to be actually a "triton bomb." Such a bomb would release energy weight for weight of bomb material over seven times the energy released by a uranium of plutonium nuclear fission ("atomic") bomb. One kilogram (2.2 pounds) of tritium would release as much energy as an "atomic" bomb utilizing about 15.5 pounds of uranium of plutonium—equal to the explosive force of 140,000 tons of TNT. Since, as pointed out above, there is no limitation on the mass or size of a fusion bomb, it is theoretically possible to build a triton bomb 1000 times more devastating than the uranium bomb which flattened Hiroshima. Such a bomb would require about 315 pounds of tritons, and would release the explosive energy equivalent of 20,000,000 tons of TNT, and would be effective over an area of 300-400 square miles.

What would then be the design or construction details of a fusion bomb? I cannot answer this question; I could not give you the answer even if I knew it. First of all, all such details are top military secrets; secondly, the bomb is still in the design stage. I can only conjecture, on the ground of the basic scientific facts known.

"The H-Bomb and You" will be continued in the July, 1950, issue, in which Mr. Gaynor discusses "The First Shoe."

Nodal Transits

19-Year Cycles In Individual Lives

By Dane Rudhyar

Part One

I discussed in a recent article the meaning of the axis formed by the Moon's nodes in a birth-chart; and I had previously defined the astronomical nature of the nodes with reference to cycles of celestial latitude. We saw that the north node is the point at which the Moon (or any planet) passes from south to north latitude, and in so doing crosses in a northward direction the plane of the ecliptic (the orbit of the Earth) on a particular degree of the zodiac. The south node is the place of southward crossing of the ecliptic, on the opposite zodiacal degree.

What I am to discuss now is the subject of the cyclic motion of the Moon's nodal axis around the zodiac—thus around the birth-chart—in a period of 18.6 years. I mentioned this period, and the related cycles, the *Saros* cycle and the *Metonic* cycle previously, in connection with eclipses and eclipse cycles as these figure in mundane astrology, especially in the experience of men of the old "vitalistic" societies, some 4 or 5,000 years ago.

Astrologers who deal with the birth-charts of modern individuals often place a great deal of emphasis upon "eclipses hitting natal planets" and recurring "eclipse seasons." I have done so myself at times in order to present ideas and facts which seemed pertinent at the time. Unfortunately the mention and anticipation of "eclipses hitting one's natal planets" can do very much harm psychologically, and the results of such "eclipses"—purely symbolical, of course, in relation to a natal planet which is not there to be eclipsed or hit by the darkness!—are often far from what they were expected to be.

Take the recent case of President Truman. Immediately before the last Elections which unexpectedly gave him a great *popular* victory, a solar eclipse fell close to his natal Moon, and another one 6 months before "hit" his natal Sun. Harry Truman's natal Moon rises, rules his house of profession and public success, dominates indeed the whole chart. Yet everything related to the Moon in a chart such as President Truman's became vitalized and led to victory.

If he had been a believer in astrology, he, like most astrologers would have thought such an eclipse, controlling the time of Elections, most unfavourable—perhaps tragic. Obviously he would have either lost some degree of faith in his possibilities of success (tenth house) or even would have been definitely afraid of of good "public" response (Moon), or failure or worse. Indeed, he might have been defeated by his fears.

When he was about to be conceived and when being carried by his mother, an "eclipse season" occurred affecting his yet-to-be natal Moon and Sun most accurately. And every 9, or 18 to 19, year some eclipses have "hit" his Moon, often twice—and his Sun, too. Yet his life reads like a "success magazine story". The question therefore rises: does it help to know of these "eclipses" in understanding President Truman's life and personality? Would it have helped *him* to know?

My answer is: NO—at least if an archaic and vitalistic (yet still popular) meaning is given to the term "eclipse." Implied inevitably in this meaning is an emotional, if unconscious, feeling of light being blotted out, of darkness and mystery, if not cataclysm. For this reason, if for no other, I contend that telling someone that there will be "an eclipse on his Moon" next month, is a positively dangerous practice from the point of view of psychological results. Nothing can be gained by it; for nothing can stop the

eclipse from happening and no one can guard against, or be cautious about, the multitude of things which "might" occur, before, during or after eclipse time. All that can be "gained" is—fear; a very negative gain indeed!

Eclipses which actually happen for all men to see and which presumably affect the electro-magnetic potential of the earth's atmosphere (or ionosphere, or whatever it be) are one thing; eclipses which occur on or close to the zodiacal degree on which a planet is found in the birth-chart of an individual . . . are another thing! What I am suggesting here is that the traditional meaning given to eclipses is an expression of the archaic vitalistic approach to life, and that this approach dealt 1) with things seen in the sky, 2) with collectivities, agricultural cycles, affairs of State, etc.—but not with individuals as such. Today a consideration of eclipses, cycles of recurrence of eclipses, paths of totality of solar eclipses, etc. is valid if it deals with collective issues, meteorology, global events, and all such typically *mundane* matters. When, however, *individual birth-charts* are being studied, and psychological factors and personal attitudes, hopes and fears, are involved, not only the term "eclipse", but the phenomenon itself, no longer apply and should not be mentioned.

What is worth considering, however, is the cycle of the Moon's nodes and the 19-year cycle of new moons recurrence on the same degree of the zodiac. These are cycle which measure patterns of organic and personal growth; cycles which are numerological as much as astrological. They are cycles, wave-rhythms which need not frighten or excite anybody; which are not things to predict with, but to understand with. A human being is to be understood, to be helped to understand himself. This is the one function of natal astrology, a *technique in human understanding.*

The reader who does not see the difference between saying to a client "Your Moon is going to be eclipsed" and "You are coming to a particular phase of the nodal 19-year long cycle in your life" does not realize undoubtedly the emotional power of words over the unconscious. Deeper than this, he does not see how profound is the difference between announcing *an event which has power in itself* as a sudden occurrence, and teaching a person to think of his life and personality as a complex chord of waves and rhythms of development, each related to the other and unfolding toward some sort of an over-all purpose and life-meaning.

For ancient man seeking to gain a wider sense of natural order and of periods of time beyond the yearly rhythm of the seasons the study of eclipses as they were *seen* and of eclipse periods was no doubt of the greatest significance; and the correlations of important events affecting the entire community to these eclipse periods and other periods of similar lengths meant the development of the historical sense. But today modern men live (or should live!) on another time-scale of magnitude and at another psychological level. Their essential problems—those, at any rate, which the astrologer is asked to solve or throw light upon—are problems dealing with themselves as individuals. These should be approached by the astrologer with all the delicacy and human understanding of the true psychologist.

The Nodal Cycle

Among the means which modern astrology offers for a more objective and more extended grasp of an individual's basic life-problems, the 18 to 19 year cycle related to the zodiacal period of the Moon's nodal axis stands out for a number of reasons. We have stressed the point that this nodal axis is to be considered as a unit, rather than as two points on the zodiac; thus what is transiting the birth-chart is a line which links always two opposite houses, and will arouse at one time two planets in natal opposition. This obviously creates a very different situation than that in which one celestial object is moving by transit around the birth-chart; and this situation demands a somewhat special kind of interpretation.

Moreover, the transiting motion of the nodal axis is retrograde, constantly and fairly regularly so; and this too presents a problem of interpretation. This retrograde factor simply *has to* be considered basic in any study of the meaning of nodal transits. Then, of course, the nodal axis is not a celestial "body" and in a sense is truly a symbolical entity—as planetary orbits themselves are—; and this puzzles certain kind of astrologer who therefore fall back upon the phen-

omenon of eclipses to bolster up the "scientific" validity of the Moon's nodes cycle.

The nodes, however, are important just because they are symbols, and they concentrate the most important implications of the to and fro motions of the Moon, as she links the inner and outer realms of human existence, being half the time inside the Earth's orbit, half the time outside of it. The two nodes become thus symbols of *lunar gates* through which the energies and powers active in our inner and outer environment enter into the sphere of our ego-consciousness, and resulting activities are released from this sphere.

As we considered, last month, the *set* positions of the Moon, her nodal axis and the planets in the birth-chart, we defined these basic factors in terms of their archetypal, changeless, and essential character in human experience. But if we look at them from the point of view of change and growth (or regression)—that is, in terms of transiting factors, moving day by day, year by year—their meaning becomes somewhat altered. We do not see any longer the root-problems of the new born individual, or the divine purpose for his birth; we see the continuous succession of efforts, of failures and successes, frustrations and fulfillments—the entrance of dark and light Images, of confusing or sinister and of illuminating or exalting Powers, into the earthly sphere of our personality. And the gate through which they enter is primarily the Moon's north node—the "point of intake".

To follow the symbolical motion of the north and south nodes around our birth-chart is to see gates open and close; "food" of all kinds absorbed, assimilated, rejected, evacuated; power and life-energy breathed in, and breathed out as creative emanation and seed. Whatever the two ends of the nodal axis touch is vivified, stirred into some kind of activity. There is no sense whatsoever of proclaiming it "good" or "bad". The contacts made by the nodal axis do not operate in the realm of morality or fortune or misfortune. They bring the depth of our collective, generic and cosmic unconscious (three levels, actually) to the threshold of our consciousness. In a sense, all these things are *the past;* because all that is unconscious (in the usual sense of the term) is the residue or the harvest of the past experiences of our family, our society, our race, humanity, earth-life, the universe.

This does not mean that the future is not contained in seed and in potentiality in this past! But this future can only become itself (that is, it can only *be,* in some tomorrow) *through the efforts of a conscious, and intelligently creative being.* The seeds are there, in the unconscious of the past, seeds of futurity; but *men* must, and alone can, produce the actual "plant" of the future tomorrow, according to the way they live their present, every day, every minute.

What does the transiting nodal axis show, as it moves around the natal wheel? The "breath" of the past of our race, our society — our many-times reincarnating "divine Identity" also—as this infinitely complex past is breathed in and out, used or rejected, by our ego-consciousness. And what can we see giving clues to the creative or redeeming use of this past toward the building of the future, or the clearing up of the ground before building? The *new moons* which we witness every month, and particularly those which strike dynamic points in our birth-chart.

The nodes return to the same zodiacal degree in 18.6 years—with an "inverted return" at the mid-point of the period when north node occupies the place first held by the south node, and *vice versa.* New moons returns to approximately the same zodiacal degree after 19 years (Metonic cycle). Thus within these two figures, 18 (twice 9) and 19, we have the key to the deepest process of "metabolism of personality" —the transmutation of unconscious past into consciously produced future. In the Tarot symbolism, Arcana 18 is the weeping Moon; Arcana 19, the glorious Sun.

Part II—Nodal Transits Continued in July 1950 Issue

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Detroit—

City on the Straits

By Blanca Holmes

WE present the horoscope of the city of Detroit, erected by the editor of this magazine, for July 24, 1701, at sunrise.

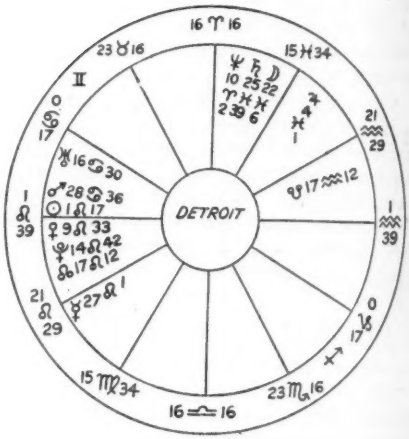
Detroit (French-strait), largest city of Michigan, is situated on the northwest bank of the Detroit River, a stream which forms part of the U.S.-Canadian boundary. Notice, in the chart, Uranus rising eleven degrees from the Ascendant —Uranus ruling foreign affairs in a water sign. The Detroit river separates the two countries, Detroit being opposite the Canadian town Windsor.

The river, one-half mile wide and 30 to 50 feet deep, forms an excellent harbor, with 13 miles of improved harbor frontage. The Ascendant is close to the Fixed Star Procyon, a star associated with something unusual regarding water.

In a book found in the Detroit Library is the following: "Early in 1701 Count Cadillac set out from Quebec, commissioned by Frontenac to establish a fur Trading Post on the 'River of the Straits.' He travelled the Northern Water route and on the evening of July 23rd, he and his party floated down through Lake St. Clair and on down the river to what is now known as Grosse Isle. There they spent the night. Early the next morning, July 24th, they set out examining both sides of the river for what might likely be a site, and soon Cadillac stood up foremost in the boat, and pointed to a spot on the west bank, and said: 'There we will build our Fort.'

They put into shore immediately, and at once commenced building a church (always the first building erected in those days), St. Ann's Church at a spot which is now the eastern end of Bagley Street."

It was on this specific information, that the editor erected this horoscope, with the Sun rising, immediately preceded by Mars. When the radical M.C. progressed



to that conjunction in 1805, Detroit was completely destroyed by fire. A new city arose which adopted its motto; "We hope for better days; it shall rise from the ashes."

Detroit's first 100 years were under the elevated Neptune—on radical M.C. and rising Mars. During the American Struggle for Independence, Detroit became notorious as a nest of intrigue. The (other) Arch-Traitor of the Revolution, General James Wilkinson, who served with Benedict Arnold in the Quebec Campaign, had his headquarters here before he transferred to New Orleans.

Following 1805, the Sun figuratively rose over the reborn city; it did literally rise from its ashes—and under the Sunshine of Prosperity, grew with amazing rapidity.

Before it became the city it is today, it was captured by an English force in 1760, was the headquarters for British Forces in the N.W. during the Revolution, and was abandoned to the Americans in 1796.

A Martian City

With Mars ruling the 10th house—occupation—and the planet rising in conjunction with the Ascendant, it is small wonder that Detroit is one of the leading manufacturing cities in the entire world. It is noted for its automobiles, iron and steel products (Saturn planet of steel in the 9th—a house which indicates just what is shipped out of the city), machinery, drugs and chemicals, paper and printing products, slaughtering and meat-packing establishments.

The martial note is sounded in the fact that this city has several military as well as commercial airports.

Mercury, planet relating to the fingers, is in the 2nd house, not too far from Regulus, and in this town, many, many hands accomplish much work on the Grand Scale.

Mercury rules the 3rd—house of education; three institutions of higher education are well attended: Detroit University (Jesuit), Detroit College of Law, and Michigan College of Medicine.

The positive, masculine, activating note of this city is shown with five planets rising (not counting Pluto)—five planets in masculine signs, six planets in masculine houses again not counting Pluto—and Mars conjuncting the Ascendant. The first house (normal home of Aries) so well tenanted, gives a coloring of enterprise, impulse, and even at times, under affliction, violence to this city.

Uranus, a planet which rules groups, especially unions, labor organizations, is not so well placed in the 12th house—house of restriction. It would seem that altruism for the worker, an eventual betterment of his status, has been difficult or slow to be obtained for an additional sum of money in his weekly salary is invariably followed by an increase in price of whatever product the worker is engaged in making.

With Aries on the 10th, a heritage angle, and Aries being associated by some astrological students as ruling Germany, there always has been a large population of German-born in this city. And with Mars ruling the 5th and 10th, close to the Ascendant, and planets "bunched" in the first house, there seems to be an overdose of Mars in Detroit.

You and Detroit

Have you lived in this city? Do your planets fit in this locality to your advantage or not?

Those born eight days before or after July 23rd may be attuned to the hustle and bustle of Detroit. Here your ambitions could be gratified and you would be industrious. The business tendencies of the city would conform to your ideas, because not only the Sun, but also Mars in the Detroit wheel, energize you, making you restless, positively extravagant.

Use tact in group organizations, if you were born eight days before or after July 9th. Remain in the background in any sort of club, or group work, rather than accept a responsible post, you might attract criticism. Choose associates with discrimination, avoid radical views, do not accept the new and untried too readily, see it proved first. When you pass to the Higher Life, it might be rather suddenly—no hanging around at the end.

If you celebrate your birthday eight days before or after March 17th, Detroit is NOT your best city. Delays in profession, slow progress, hard work for very little money, even the climate might not be good for your particular constitution. A minor problem or delay in marriage, some responsibility thrust upon you through in-laws — not all of these of course, but one or two may seem to be your fate.

On the other hand, if you were born eight days before or after February 25th, this is a fortunate city for you. Here you might attract a marriage or business partner of independent means. Money could come to you unearned, in the form of a legacy, or by insurance. Your children would rally to your support; even if you did not need financial help, they would be more of an asset than a liability. You will draw friends to you because of your sympathetic, amiable, and understanding disposition.

Tact with in-laws may be a necessity should you have been born eight days before or after March 31st. You have two reasons why you take a journey, the one you give at home—and the truth.

Steady employment should have been your lot, along with some financial benefits if you were born August 1884 to August 1885, for your radical Jupiter falls in Detroit's 2nd house (earnings,

money). However, there may have also been some restriction in your life, which you took philosophically. Your health may have at certain periods caused you alarm, due to some health problem more or less of a chronic nature, also a liability to falls, troubles with the teeth, a lack of harmony with the marriage partner's relatives.

The monetary aspects look rosy; work which you enjoy doing, being well paid for it would have been your lot had you been born August 1896 to July 1897. Those of you born Aug. 1896 to Oct. of the same year may have had some small problem or delay with a parent or getting a home of your own. Those born November 1896 to July 1897, might have proved difficult to rear, either in respect to health or disposition. Also you might have had a disappointment in your romantic life. You belong to the group who admire a "difficult to follow" philosophy, such as Lao-tzu, who said, "My religion consists in thinking the unconceivable thought, in going the impossible way—in speaking the ineffable word—and in doing the impossible thing."

Should you have been born July 1908 to July 1909, you too have your Jupiter in the 2nd house of the Detroit chart. Things have come to you but not in such an easy manner. Much you did on your own and fought for; most of all you had belief in yourself and the ability to turn out work to perfection.

Born July 1920 to July 1921, you should also have made good financially in this city. Early in life you may not have had the education you wanted, but you learned later by studying after hours. You could have changed from manual labor, to some position where you only employ your mental powers.

Your Jupiter is elevated in the 10th house in the Detroit horoscope, and this is of course a fine place to have it should you have been born May 1892 to June 1893. Your persistence and determination got you where and what you wanted. Some unpleasantness might creep in, in relations with neighbors or relatives, but will leave no mark on your financial success.

Born April 1904 to May 1905, you also have your Jupiter in the 10th in Detroit's locality wheel. Impulsive, ambitious, your mental energy made you successful in business, perhaps brought an important post in the community. You could also excel in law and politics. Delays in legacies, or money you expected to come in to you, would be likely, only rely in an emergency on your own money, not the business or marriage partner's income.

If born from March 1916 to May 1917, all the aforementioned as being favorable for the last two named groups holds true for you. You are full of enterprise, new ideas, and most likely made them pay. Those born near May-June 1917, have your radical Saturn very close to the Ascendent of the Detroit's horoscope, so while you could fare well where money was concerned, or along material lines, this might not prove the best locality for your health—it is up to you which is the more important.

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Einstein

Vehicle of Pre-Aquarian Science

Part II.

By Rona de Thyge

As a result of the Special Relativity paper published in 1905, universities which had refused him obscure assistant professorships, clamored for the 26-year-old Albert Einstein. And so began the series of distinguished posts throughout Europe and participation in important scientific congresses. By 1911, he made known his Theory of Gravity and time and events quickened.

Berlin was then the scientific center of the world and the newly founded academy, the Kaiser Wilhelm Gesellschaft, the heart of all. To this Einstein was invited—a signal honor indeed! He was as eager for the intellectual advantages of this appointment as he was reluctant to return to the hated Prussian ways of life and thought. But his personal affairs had, by now, reached an impasse and divorce was arranged. So Einstein set out alone for Berlin at the end of the fateful year of 1913.

At Berlin, the professor headed straight into trouble, as usual, because he persisted in behaving with unaffected simplicity. His oddly aloof manner, his refusal to join cliques and the crime, in German eyes, of pacifism, roused such a storm of protest during the war that he was barely saved by his neutral Swiss citizenship and scientific reputation. But with the progressed Moon trine Moon, his personal life came at last to happier shores.

At his uncle's house, he met his cousin, a childhood playmate, who was now a widow with two daughters, Elsa was a simple woman of warm, cheerful, maternal temperament whose interests were bound up in her home. She did not at all understand Albert's work but she was very proud of him. Indeed, she told a friend, that she knew "our Albertle" must be a great scientist since there had not been a tin of canned food that he had not been able to open for her. The professor, it seems, made himself useful by practicing "applied physics."

In 1917, under a progressed conjunction of Sun and Moon, Einstein married his cousin Elsa. The couple set up housekeeping in a pleasant Berlin apartment. And it was here that the great Dr. Einstein began to display shamelessly a typical Piscean weakness—the habit of going about the house without his shoes! It added to the consternation of the visiting VIPs.

Despite romance, Einstein completed his Unified Theory of Gravitation which was published in 1916. This theory that produced four-dimensional space among other revolutionary things, was to rock the world. Despite the war, scientists everywhere heard the news in those iron-curtainless days. And as Einstein himself foretold, a solar eclipse should prove the validity of his theory. Eagerly the Royal Society in England awaited the end of the war and the eclipse of 1919. From the photographs of the stars surrounding this eclipsed sun, astronomers confirmed the new theory as the author had predicted. From this, curved space was established, showing that Eucledian geometry which declared that parallel lines remain equidistant into infinity, was henceforth, invalidated in space. And this was a revolution in itself.

A curious situation arose at the end of the many ensuing conferences on this new idea of gravitation. Though the Royal Society had proved the new theory, a few of the great men honestly admitted that they could not grasp the theory itself. The press seized upon this item. Obviously, these scientists did not mean the limited interpretation the press was to give. But the public misrepresentation aroused a storm of vehement comment.

The lay public ridiculed, religious organizations denounced Einstein for trying to destroy God, political parties took up the cry pro and con, and scholarly feuds followed. Shades of Copernicus! The innocent object of this world-wide fuss, the mildest, most reverent of men, did not attempt the impossible of denial, but continued to lecture throughout Europe to clarify and instruct those capable of understanding pure science which had nothing to do with any kind of "ism" religious or otherwise.

Einstein Dismayed

But on returning to Berlin in 1922, Dr. Einstein was dismayed to find that his "Relativity" had gotten mixed up in the rising tide of Russian (and later the Nazi) propaganda machine! Further, his company at the German scientific gatherings was now pointedly shunned. Helpless and uneasy, he went on a trip to the Far East, returning in 1923 via Palestine and Spain. In July, he lectured in Scandinavia. In 1925, he visited South America. And all the time he was still, officially, a member of the Berlin Academy.

Meanwhile, other shining scientific names quivered on the upsweep of the times: Broglie and Schrodinger, Heisenburg and Bohr and the Americans, Davisson and Germer; each name adding to the structure of Relativity and pre-Aquarian science. By 1929, Einstein's reputation had reached extraordinary heights, but the man continued to be attacked by uninformed masses in proportion to his fame. It was with relief that he accepted an invitation to lecture at the California Institute of Technology. And thus began the several years' engagements with summers spent in Berlin. Betimes, the Institute for Advanced Learning at Princeton was founded. In 1932, which marked the end of the German Republic, the professor was consulted about the policies of the Institute which eventually resulted in his becoming a staff member.

It is impossible to even summarize the many interests and concerns, the expanded scientific works, commitments and obligations Albert Einstein now felt himself morally responsible for, nor the heartbreak involved. He had become a world figure and his science had penetrated into varied fields of life, from infant television to cosmic religion, from international humanitarian welfare and politics to industry. But at last, in 1933, the Einsteins set up a new home at Princeton, where, in 1936, Elsa Einstein died. And the stars continued to groom the man for his great role in world destiny.

In 1939, while delving into atomic structure, Dr. Einstein was horrified to learn from an Italian colleague, Enrico Fermi, that atomic fission had been accomplished at—of all places in that dark year—the Berlin Academy. Though disliking to mix in public affairs, Einstein realized where duty was. On August 2, 1939, he addressed President Roosevelt, informing him of the facts and the future implications which even the scientifically informed could then scarcely imagine. The world knows the rest of the dramatic story that began with the formation of the Manhattan Project and that came to a temporary end over Hiroshima.

In 1941, Albert Einstein became an American citizen. In 1945, he retired from active professorship at the Institute to devote himself to the last great work of finding the key that will open the door to "one all-embracing theory from which all the known phenomena could be deduced." And although last December (1949) the key was announced, this key, if it proves valid, but opens the door to the mysteries, it does not explain them. So the work goes on and Dr. Einstein continues to live quietly amid his female run household consisting of his housekeeper, his sister and one of his stepdaughters. His habits are unchanged by the years. Witty, sympathetic, yet aloof, he can be seen about Princeton in his windbreaker, his baggy trousers and his shock of white hair blowing in the breeze. On more dressy occasions, he still looks like a round-eyed innocent, the violin virtuoso, even as he did when he took up his Chair in 1910 at the venerable university of Prague.

It was at Prague that he, for academic reasons, rejoined the Jewish religious community. It was at Prague, where he became the intellectual intimate of Moritz Winternitz, the renowned scholar and professor of Sanscrit. With this man Einstein discussed India's ancient scientific-religious treatises and the hidden science of the Cabala. Was it perhaps, in these occult delvings that he learned the first steps of the ancient way toward cleaving the world of matter and lifting the veil to the cosmos?

An Individualist

At Prague, at any rate, society and academic custom was as rigid as that of Berlin. And it was at Prague that the professor's manner and appearance first caused serious comment and raised eyebrows. He, the non-conformist, persisted in his endless little jokes, his witty illustrations and his utter unconsciousness of personal appearance. He addressed charwomen and important men in the same quiet manner. He still does. He was warm and vital in his relations with his students as he was with his personal friends, particularly those who shared his love for musical evenings and would accompany his violin. All this is unchanged. And yet . . . and yet then as now, he shied clear just when acquaintance was to bloom into intimate friendship. And this characteristic is essential to his destiny. He was aware of the necessity when he summed up his character without apology in 1930:

"My passionate interest in social justice and social responsibility has always stood in curious contrast to a marked lack of desire for direct association with men and women. I am a horse for single harness, not cut out for tandem or team work. I have never belonged wholeheartedly to any country or state, to my circle of friends or even to my own family. These ties have always been accompanied by vague aloofness and the wish to withdraw into myself increased with the years. Such isolation is sometimes bitter, but I do not regret being cut off from the understanding and sympathy of other men. I lose something by it, to be sure, but I am compensated for it in being rendered independent to the customs, opinions and prejudices of others and am not tempted to rest my peace of mind upon such shifting foundations."

This statement is worth rereading for the first impression may shock. It may seem to be the utterance of an egotist because the import is against all custom, sentiment and accepted ideas of social niceties. Actually, it is the key to his greatness for Albert Einstein is not a social figure. He is a vehicle for world progress, as his horoscope reveals.

But first to review the man on his human level. The personal life and outer activities are found in the houses of a chart. Dr. Einstein's personality is indicated by the first house, Cancer-rising,

and shows him to be a home-loving man, taking pleasure in small family affairs, though often moody. His Pisces Sun placed so near the midheaven presages personal fame. But as the Moon is applying to the square of the Sun from the sixth house of work, this fame is not altogether compatible to his personal life's work, and has brought him much adverse personal criticism of work and behavior. As the Moon is also the ruler of the rising sign, his home is everywhere his work is, both literally and figuratively speaking. The Moon is sextile 9th house Jupiter, promising adequate reward for his labors, indicating the many travels of the life, especially sea-voyages to far (9th house) lands, India, China, North and South America. Above all the Moon-Jupiter aspect and the midheaven Sun, account for the extraordinary personal publicity he has received for almost fifty years. Jupiter in the 9th, of course, denotes his philosophical and humanitarian (Aquarius) interests.

Still on the personal level, we find the Moon trine Venus in 10th house Aries, showing the lovable personality, the warmth and sympathy that is, at times, a bit Aries-reckless in its generosity. It shows too, his pleasure in the companionship of women and the arts from his childhood relations with his mother to his later musical friends and his present feminine household at Princeton.

Mars exalted in Capricorn, in 7th house of partners and enemies, indicates the constant personal activities with aca-

particularly his professorial relations with his students; and the cold Capricornian fury and jealousy of his earlier colleagues as well as hinting of the strange temperament of his first marriage partner. This Mars also reveals the energy and determination behind his alliances and undertakings, and trine Pluto in the 11th house of friends and wishes, denotes the financial support of wealthy friends, patrons and institutions (Pluto) his work has received.

Mercury in adventurous Aries in the 10th house denotes his many and daring mental activities and a wit that is sobered and endowed with real substance by its conjunction with Saturn. The Einstein wit is as famous as it is useful in putting across difficult problems on the lecture platform to capsuling some bit of erudition so that it is never forgotten. Saturn in the 10th house in Aries, gives a daring courageous fortitude, a pioneering urge and determination in professional matters. Together these 10th house planets show a mind and interest in accord with material accomplishments and hard work.

As humanly interesting and as lovable as is the personality of Albert Einstein, it is the power and magnitude of his talents on an impersonal level that reveal the qualities of his vehicle of pre-Aquarian science. On this higher level, the personal house positions give way to the greater significances of the signs. Thus we find that the Sun in Pisces near the midheaven, denoting a potential destiny of world service and of mystic import as Pisces is the sign of service and mysticism. And Einstein's service has come about through his (Sun's) power to use the mystic subleties of numbers—mathematics—in which Mercury and Saturn conjunct have played so large a part. The Cancer rising sign takes on a far broader meaning as well, for Cancer like the great sea of Life, operates on the subjective level, manifesting from the unknown to the known.

Mercury in Aries, give the impersonal mind added fire. Aries as the sign of leadership, of vivid first impetus has tremendous power. So Mercury in this sign acts as that wonderous messenger of the gods—the Informing Spirit. Conjunct Saturn, this planet reflects perfect accord with the wisdom-experience of the ages. While Venus also in this sign takes on a bold love of new ventures, with a fiery impulsion (borrowed from its polar opposite Mars, ruler of Aries) that refuses to accept defeat. More, Venus in Aries has ever the qualities of the reformer and together these Venusian aspects strikingly characterize the modus operendi of Einstein's work.

Meanwhile, Mercury and Saturn are quincunx to Uranus, the planet of cosmic revelation, in the sign of Virgo, enabling Uranus to add just that touch of progressive restlessness which, with discrimination, fires the Mercury-Saturn qualities and prevents submission to outworn modes of thought and stagnation. On the high level, Virgo is the sign of the pure mind—the cosmic capacity of mind and mental vibration. It is also the sign of the conventional. And with Uranus posited here, we find the mind fifired by dynamic Uranus, the planet of the unconventional, into new and revolutionary realms of thought. Finally in this grouping, we find Mercury-Saturn semisextile Neptune in Taurus. The higher attributes of Taurus are impersonal will, inspiration and aspiration. Neptune is the planet of intuition, and a semisextile, an aspect of quickening and growth. Combing all, we find the daring mind and wisdom experience quickened by the aspiring intuition, accounting for much, though not all, of Einstein's tremendous ability for creative thought.

Neptune is trine Uranus and is a major aspect in this higher interpretation. A trine is something already in a state of accomplished reality. This aspect between these two planets thus reveals the ability of the pre-Aquarian Vehicle to combine intuitive perception (Neptune) with cosmic revelation (Uranus). More, it shows Dr. Einstein's true place in cyclic evolution for Neptune is the outer ruler of Pisces his sun-sign. It is also called the planet of the Past. Uranus is the outer ruler of Aquarius and is called the planet of the Future. We are still in the Piscean age proper, although we are being overshadowed by the Aquarian. Thus we see how this man is the bridge between the two cyclic ages.

Next we find Mars, exalted in the occult sign of Capricorn, the sign of the world teacher. And as Mars is sextile the Sun, we find that his work is linked with his soul's destiny both as to his teachings as his occult leanings in science. Mars is also semi-sextile Jupiter so his work is

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Many Things

" 'The time has come,' the Walrus said,
'To talk of many things;
Of shoes and ships and sealing wax
And cabbages and kings.' "

AMEN!

Watertown, Mass.

I am sure it would be interesting to many of the followers of Astrology to learn from you through the columns of your magazine why it is that those who are so hasty to come to its defense when its integrity is questioned or assaulted by non-astrologers, are so loath to make public and condemn the unpardonable faults which prompt this criticism and which emanate from within its own ranks.

For example, take the article which appeared in the October 1948 issue of Cosmopolitan Magazine *by the "world's foremost astrologer." In this article we have a delineation based on a horoscope which is admittedly speculative as to the time of birth, and the author, apparently considering herself secure in her pinnacle of fame, proceeds to read the known facts of the native's life into this misrepresentation. Now it would seem that an astrologer held in such exalted esteem, should have at hand the timed birth data of the Governor of her own State, particularly when he had become the nominee of his party for the highest office in the land (it was made public as early as February 1939 in the issue of* American Astrology *of that date) or, lacking this reference (which is inexcusable), it would seem that she surely must have access to a telephone whereby she could have in a moment's time arrived at the facts of the case, for having attained to that status for which we all strive, she surely must know that a speculative horoscope is of little or no value for precise delineation, and that solar horoscope with which the article abounds, not only reeks of the dime-store and boardwalk, but is of no value whatsoever.*

Was there any criticism of this article by any astrologer in any of its magazines anywhere? I think not, and if there was it certainly escaped the notice of this writer, and it is difficult to believe that any other publication devoted to any other profession or science would have remained silent had any such affront been committed against their name. But why the silence? This article as you must know was hardly worthy the effort of a novice, and the damage it could do, and probably has done, is all but irreparable. Can it be because, as many believe, that those in the "inner circle" can do no wrong? I trust not, but kindly read on.

The following is an excerpt from Walter Winchell's column which appeared in the September 16th issue of a local paper.

> *"One of the astrology mags featured Cary Grant on its cover and did an exhaustive analysis of his life, showing it has turned out that way because he was born in 1909. . . . The piece had a neat hunk of astrological charting showing how it all happened and why. . . . The only thing wrong with it is that Cary was born in 1904."*

Ye Gods!

Will there be any criticism of this article or its author in any of the other magazines? You can bet your rock bottom dollar there will not, but

so much as let Wiggam, Hill, or Shapely justifiably say that Astrology is sheer buncombe (and no one certainly can deny it by these two atrocities) and every editor in the country will be up to his neck in pages of indignation. I haven't been able to obtain the magazine Winchell refers to, but I'll stake all that I own that it was the product of one of the "names" in Astrology, in other word, one whose flair for literature far exceeds their knowledge of the subject, and whose sole claim to recognition rests on the fact that sometime or other they have pirated and rehashed some older work and have been fortunate enough to have had it published under their own name.

Assuredly, this protective silence (or is it complacency?) will do little to further the cause of Astrology, and I hope you may find the time, and the space, in some forthcoming issue of your magazine to explain why such offenses continue to go unanswered.

E. E. L.

CINI

Boston, Mass.

Guglielmo Cini, now recognized by many as "America's foremost craftsman in precious metals," fulfilled a lifelong ambition when he translated his own impressions of the signs of the Zodiac into sterling silver and solid gold jewelry about four years ago.

Born in Florence, Italy, at midnight, February 2-3, 1903, he grew up in an atmosphere of art and craftsmanship and absorbed the fundamentals of jewelry-making by the time he became twelve years of age. When he was fifteen years old, he was commissioned to model, from solid gold, a jewel-studded halo for a cathedral saint and from that, he attained a reputation which brought him additional commissions from many people of the theatre and of society throughout Europe, to create unusual jewelry.

He first became interested in Zodiac motifs when viewing the exciting murals of the Vatican on a visit to Rome. He knew nothing of Astrology but he was fascinated by the artistry and the symbolic designs and this fascination remained ever with him. For years he contemplated his own interpretation of the traditional symbols, to be executed in jewelry. However, he delayed putting his ideas into effect in silver and gold for a number of reasons, not the least of which was the chore he had set for himself, the infinite details of sketching his personal interpretation in beautiful and balanced design and then transferring them, through painstaking craftsmanship, to precious metal.

At the age of 17, in 1920, he accompanied his mother to America on what was intended to be a short visit. It was nine years before he returned to visit the country in which he was born and he has made several trips to Italy and other European countries since that time.

Shortly after his first arrival in America, he wheedled a special jewelry order from an Italian importer and borrowed $5.00 from a friend to undertake that "project." He had no knowledge of English but soon learned that $5.00 wouldn't buy much gold so he bought silver and thus started as a specialist in silver. In the nine years before his first return to Italy, for a visit, he had become an "American Businessman" with a studio in Boston and had gained somewhat of a reputation as an artist and craftsman.

While Mr. Cini was by no means the first jeweler to use Zodiac symbols, it is reasonably safe to say that he is currently the most successful.

In late 1945, he made three initial Zodiac designs in sterling silver, sketched a few more and displayed the results for the first time to customers at a gift show in Chicago in February of 1946. The response was amazing, even to him, and the items brought an astonishing interest in them by some of the top merchandisers in the nation. The result was instant acceptance by buyers and individuals as well as by national fashion magazines.

The "Welcome Travelers" show, then on CBS in Chicago, requested permission to use Cini Zodiac jewelry as personalized gifts to stage and

movie celebrities who appeared on the show. Permission was granted and the jewelry was, and still is, awarded to winners. This show is now on the NBC network and has a Hooper-rating to date comparable to the top broadcasts.

It has been interesting to note the accelerated interest in the Zodiac items since the early national publicity of Cini's interpretations. He has been approached by manufacturers of all kinds for permission to reproduce his designs for various types of promotion and, naturally, he has steadfastly refused because he has a special fondness for those designs.

Currently, he continues to maintain an enviable record for special craftsmanship such as the creation of the gold, platinum and diamond miniatures for Colleen Moore's famous jeweled doll house. As a result of the latter, he was mentioned in the famous textbook called "Miniatures."

He has made for himself, in gold, his own Aquarius tie-clip, cuff-links and money clip and when asked by cynics or skeptics if it is true that, like the amulet of gold, the wearing of one's own birth sign brings the wearer good luck, his reply is always the same:

"I wouldn't be able to say—for you—but it is my considered opinion that it certainly has brought me good luck."

Alexander & Smith.

GREETINGS

April 16, 1950.

Pasadena, Calif.

It was delightful to hear from you and to know that the "Godmother of American Astrology*" was remembered in the Birthday celebration.*

It has been very interesting to follow the development of the magazine during all these years and to observe that the fine integrity, which was evident in the first issue of The Bulletin *has not wavered, but been strengthened, until the world believes in* The American Astrology Magazine.

You have done a very sound and progressive work, Mr. Clancy, and I am very happy that my bit of inspiration and maybe "push" helped to get it all started!

I still remember the teeming, pouring, rainy day that I went downtown three times to convince that little man that The Bulletin *was better than the Evangeline Adams ten-cent store booklet. While this did not amount to anything in itself, it was the small edge that started the migration. That rainy day finally washed you out of Detroit.*

Then, too, I've always been delighted to have introduced Rudhyar. That cost me a three-cent stamp and a few minutes to write him that I thought you might appreciate his material. That was one of the little seeds Rudhyar talks about.

It has been very interesting to see how much you, Mr. Clancy, have made of these small urges of mine. That is quite a vital point and proves that with your leadership, The American Astrology Magazine *will continue on its fearless path.*

My very best birthday greetings to you!

Cordially,

Lorene Bradley.

P.S.: I am doing very well here in California, after the usual first difficulties. We have here in Pasadena a Pre-Vocational Training Center for cerebral-palsy adults. *It is coming along exactly according to astrological advice of 1919!*

LEMONT

April 5, 1950

Arcadia, Calif.

I subscribed to American Astrology *several years ago because I liked it better than any other. Now if you are going to keep on improving it I'm going to be hard put to express my increased delight.*

In the April issue, Astrology and Prayer, *by Cedric W. Lemont is the superior type article which I feel will find favor among your readers who are earnestly seeking the precious hidden truths.*

I have read over and over many times Mr. Lemont's wonderful article The Subconscious and Prayer, *in March 1949 issue, and many times regretted it had to meet with such an unfortunate setup in that issue. Those things do happen. I just hope it is possible for you to reprint that again soon—or can that be*

obtained in pamphlet form? If so, how? I wish to send it to many friends.

Anyway, in that same issue, page 7 is the middle of something that is most interesting. Is it possible for you to give us all of that in some issue soon?

Also I do hope you can arrange to give us the privilege of more and more from Charles E. O. Carter.

A grateful Suscriber,
V. H. R.

Sandy Springs, Ga.

The April issue of American Astrology *carries an article on* Astrology & Prayer, *which I believe is what I need.*

I am fifty years old and a Gemini born June 1, 1899 and have not yet learned how to pray. For the past four years, my life has been miserable and I pray and pray to God, but never seem to get any response.

Perhaps you can enlighten me and by your method of prayer, I may be able to rise above my troubles.

W. E. J.

ANSWER: It may be assumed that you have read the article you refer to, in which case there is nothing I could add to it. In my opinion, Mr. Lemont has covered the subject thoroughly, and for one who reads with an understanding heart, no further explanation or instruction are either possible or required.

POET'S CORNER

Readers of *American Astrology* are no doubt familiar with the poems of Joseph Tuccio, which have appeared in this magazine in past issues. We are pleased to announce that the *Fifth Book of Poems* by this young Italian poet is now off the press.

"Mr. Tuccio is an ardent disciple of Benedetto Croce, and his theory of poetry is summed up in that philosopher's famous dictum, 'Impression is expression.' The concern should be primarily with the intuitive impression (images and ideas), not with words, which, in the final analysis, don't exist, are but *consequentia rerum,* effects rather than causes. The form must flow from the spirit, or it is not form at all. No form can flow from itself, except in cryptic degenerate ultra-modern art. It is erroneous to aim at perfection in art; we should aim only at creation. For there's no such thing as perfect or imperfect art. Art either is or isn't."

Mr. Tuccio is the author of *Childhood and Other Poems, Thammuz and Asthoreth, My Own People,* and *Marianna and Other Poems,* the latter published by Bruce Humphries, Inc., of Boston in 1947. In his latest book, the author makes lengthy strides into life and experience, and we are happy to have been the medium through which some of these poems first reached the public.

Those who are interested in his latest book may write to Mr. Tuccio, care Poetcraft, Bedford Hills, N. Y.

POLARITY

Los Angeles, Calif.

I want to congratulate you in the recent change of cover design. The use of SIGNS only in locating the planets borders on simplicity. The employment of HOUSES implies two methods of doing the same thing.

The purpose of signs is to give to astrologers the positions of the Sun, Planets and Moon on any specific date as recorded in Raphael's or other similar tables.

The writer as you well know from former discussions employs only Heliocentric astrology methods because of greater speed in charting. Heliocentric methods reduces a day's work to about one hour and is equally accurate in results.

Students who are studying both methods should beware of Hiram E. Butler's system which is not pure Heliocentric astrology. The Butler system is a half and half between geocentric and heliocentric and results in confusion.

Heliocentric astrologers draw their charts direct from astronomy and do not require Raphael's tables. The chief advantage is that a chart can be drawn accurately for any date in history, past, present or future. The disadvantages are very evident; the astrologer must be a technical master of astronomy.

Max J. Welch.

COMMENT: My failure to specifically emphasize our debt to Paul Councel for the geographic correlations chart

of the heavens upon which our cover design is now based is due to the fact that we have become so accustomed to identifying this geographic chart with its author that it really never occurred to me that any of our readers would ever attribute it to any other source. Upon second thought, of course, I realize that this is a rather broad assumption. So, be it known to all that the 16th Degree of Aquarius over Washington is that arrived at by the time-space correlation with the Great Pyramid established by my good friend, Paul Councel, a man with whom I have for years enjoyed a most unique comradeship, a comradeship that is unique in the fact that at our first meeting 17 years ago his greeting was a threat to sue me (seriously). Yet, there has persisted through the years a close and understanding friendship based upon mutual respect each for the integrity of the other. At times this is equalled only by the contempt of each for the opinion of the other. Never by any stretch of the imagination could this be called a mutual admiration society, yet I believe each would fight to the death for the right of the other to be wrong.

Could the fact of our birth suns being polar opposites (1st Decan Cancer-Capricorn) have anything to do with this? We consider this a possibility. In that case this would furnish an excellent example of the potentialities for collaboration concealed within the opposition (7th House) aspect? It has long been observed that when people who are brought into a personal association through an opposition do finally solve the problem of collaboration (not cooperation) they can usually bring out of the association constructive results to a remarkable degree.

PROGRESSIONS

Johannesburg, S. Africa.

May I be permitted to comment briefly on certain statements in the article in your November issue, entitled *Character and Progressions,* by Berenice Stockland, whose writings in your magazine I have often read with interest?

After stating in the said article, "No one can deny that from the moment of birth onward, we are faced with change or growth, whether that change be good or bad, constructive or destructive; and that the progressed planets are the method by which you may chart the growth or change, down through the year," which is perfectly true. The writer goes on to say as follows: "It is not correct, in these days of progressive and psychological Astrology, to make up a natal chart and say this person is so and so, when that is what he was when he started, many years previous . . . *he certainly is not the same person that he was* before the experiences gained that are signified by the progressing planets."

It is with this last statement that I must beg to disagree.

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The writer speaks later of problem children. Speaking as one who has cast many charts of children who are more or less problems at various stages of their existence, I have always taken the natal chart as the key to the fundamental nature of that ego, which will persist as a basic influence or tendency all through the life, although modified strongly, though often temporarily, by the progression of the various planets, Ascendant or M. C. through the signs, or by the transits.

The oak tree will differ greatly from the sapling of its early years, it will grow and put forth branches, twigs and leaves, flowers or acorns; it will assume a beautiful shape and thus fulfil its destiny, or it may be twisted and gnarled by storms, struck by lightning and bereft of life, but through all changes it was remain an oak tree and will react to circumstances in conformity with the nature of an oak and not of any other tree.

So with the human being. When approached by parent or guardian about a difficult child (or one who is not yet so!) I look at the natal chart, with due regard to M. E. Jones's method of determining its type, and then at the progressions and transits. Then I say, for instance, that a child is born under Leo (Sun or Ascendant) and is a "splash" type, therefore he always wants to be in the limelight, to create an impression, to be applauded and most of all to be loved, for Leo must have affection, and he will have many different interests and dislike being tied down to one thing. He will be difficult just now, and not only to you but to himself, because his Ascendant or Sun has passed into Virgo, the sign of service, hard work and sometimes of indifferent health, and has experienced the transit of Saturn, which may not be exact but will exert an influence all the same. He is being forced by circumstances to take a back seat, to concentrate instead of scattering his energies, to work hard and to obey orders instead of issuing them (which Leo loved to do!) also to do everything with thoroughness and punctuality. He feels frustrated and he kicks against it, the yoke hurts him, so he revels inwardly if not outwardly (sometimes both) and this all causes him to be difficult and unlike his usual sunny self. All the same remember that he is suffering quite as much or more than you are, through all this incompatability, that you can never drive him but can always lead and help him through love and undertanding. This will help you both through many tight corners, but to get back to the main point, you will find that he will meet his troubles, all *through life,* in the spirit of his natal Leo, whether constructively or destructively.

He will never "say die" but will rise to the occasion and overcome himself and his destiny. On the other hand, he may yield to self-indulgence, selfish disregard for the feelings of others.

The point is, however, that *the fundamental characteristics of the natal chart will persist through this particular incarnation,* although modified by the progressions and transits.

Thus "Once a Leo, always a Leo;" and the underlying tendencies of the sign and type should be explained to the enquirer as providing the explanation why more temporary conditions which are ever changing, should cast shade or sunshine upon the scene as time passes. What is painful to one temperament is pure joy to another, so that each individual case must be studied, always with reference to the basis found in the birth chart and this is how periods of apparent success or failure, ease or difficulty, joy or sorrow can be explained to the parent or native (when adult) by the astrologer, in a way which should cause a "light to shine in the darkness."

To anyone with a belief in reincarnation it is plain that, as Berenice Stockland says, we grow and change by means of the progressions and transits that bring us the opportunity, but we never, surely, depart entirely from the basic pattern of our life. We do not, in other words, "become another person" however different we may seem at various times, due to the passing influence of planet or sign.

Yours faithfully,
Mrs. C. M. Bellairs.

RESPONSE

Montrose, Calif.

I want to say that I have enjoyed the articles of Margaret Hone, as they convey logical truth of the astrological symbolism of the universe, as found in the Bible. That "experience is proving the facts that had been gained intuitively by some".

I believe that recognition of such writings serve to promote the author's continued efforts. We must praise the LAW that works. Response is like water to a plant.

J. S. T.

NEPTUNE

The Relation of Planets to Angles

By Pauline Messina

ONE Sunday afternoon I tuned the radio to the New York Philharmonic's playing of Debussy's *Afternoon of a Faun.* I only half listened, as I was reading. Suddenly the music was over. I found myself completely relaxed in the chair, eyes closed, book on the floor. I had no memory of where I had been, nor any recollection of when the transitition from aware listening to unaware submergence in the music took place.

That was a Neptunian experience.

Neptune dissolves barriers. It dissolves the barriers between individuals as surely as it dissolved the barriers between my conscious and unconscious listening. Neptune is formless, its movements imperceptible, yet it moves with undeviating power. Nothing affects it, but it affects everything. Any part of the chart which Neptune transits undergoes slow, subtle changes, the form of which may never be apparent on the surface, but which nevertheless are as real as if structurally visible. It is the planet of emotion, but emotion on a higher level, for Neptune is the higher octave of Venus. When the individual deliberately attempts to pursue the way of Neptune, he is chasing shadows. The things of Neptune are of the spirit. That is why Neptune is connected with every form of self-indulgence, which often arises from seeking the unattainable in realms of feeling and experience which cannot be measured in concrete terms.

When people try to live in realms of exaltation, Neptune is the force behind it. But exaltation is a result and not an activity. The delusions, confusions, and self-destructive potential of Neptune derive from activities pursued to bring emotional satisfaction or escape from self. Self-forgetfulness arises from forgeting self, not from seeking concrete media as a means. That is why drugs, drink, perversion and actual mental deviations such as hallucinations, fixed ideas, and amnesia are definitely Neptunian in character. The individual loses his identity—whether through befuddling his brain, enslavement to a person, habit, or idea, or through actual loss of memory, does not matter. Neptune dissolves identity.

Neptune rules the ocean, the vastness of which we know only symbolically. Who can see the ocean's depth or width? Who can say how it will act, where it will be calm, where it will be turbulent? A geodetic survey tells what is measurable through mathematical formulae, but they again are symbols and have little real meaning except to the mariner. We only know that the ocean is huge, that its surface boils or is calm with a calmness that tells nothing of what the next moment may bring. It moves unceasingly; it is unknowable. It is strangely inspiring and strangely depressing. No one who views it and allows his imagination to wander can help but feel his smallness. We know its terrors and its beauty but we do not know *it,* for it has no form. In its correspondence to the ocean's unknowable characteristics, Neptune stands for the highest inspiration, the loftiest self-expression, the most utter self-abnegation, and the greatest degradation.

Considering that Neptune seldom works constructively in realms of purely personal satisfaction, its influence in love, characteristically subtle, often brings problems. Since Neptune is the higher octave of Venus, when related to Venus in the chart, it emphasizes everything that is Neptunian, heightening both inspiration and danger. It is an excellent contact for music, lends an indefinable charm of other-worldliness, but in the matters which the planets govern in the chart, there is

distinct vulnerability—dangerous softness. It brings strange romantic, glamorous, and elusive experiences that have the veil of unreality. The things of Neptune cannot be held, hence Neptunian love is seldom expressed in ways that we normally understand as love.

Neptune's true expression is in love for humanity where all are one. The musician and the artist who work in forms that are understandable to everyone, work in true Neptunian fashion. Their medium has universal meaning. Music, ruled by Neptune, has the power to dissolve inner tension and makes the nature more harmonious or "more in one." Great works of art stimulate the imagination and raise the perception to levels above self. Similarly, the philanthropist, social worker, occultist or metaphysician all seek ways of making humanity more aware of itself so that it may function better within the universal pattern. Neptune rules hypnotism and all forms of masquerade, as the theatre. This stems from Neptune's illusionary influence which makes things seem what they are not. Unreal, Neptune yet rules the greatest reality, the eventual and irrevocable dissolution of everything to one, the source of its beginning.

Neptune At The Angles

With Neptune at the first angle and its adjacent houses dominated by Mars, the individual constantly rushes out and too frequently finds that he is dealing with shadows. He often feels that what he reaches for dissolves in his hands. He becomes submerged in a sense of failure and builds up an inferiority complex, because he begins to think that no matter what he does, nothing seems to turn out well. He learns that he can't depend on money, for it slips away as fast as it comes in. What he takes for granted eludes him. Then, at the moment he gives up all hope, things come his way. He often drowns in the sea of his own feelings, does not know what he thinks or feels, except that life is too much for him. Neptune rising is often the signature of one who must take for granted that he cannot be self-seeking. What he does must be for the ultimate good of all, for he cannot live for himself alone. When he does, he has an overwhelming loneliness, can hold on to nothing, or thinks that he can't. This signature frequently distorts the personality.

Hence those with Neptune in the 12th, 1st, or 2nd houses, and/or Pisces, Aries, or Taurus should be made to realize that they must live in terms of considerable self-abnegation. Activity at this angle springs from Aries, which rules beginnings. Thus the reach-out to life, or personality expression, may seem queer or deviating. Care should be exercised in sorting the sheep from the goats in personal relations, for the Neptunian ray invariably attracts other Neptunians. Life's values can never be measured in concrete terms, and finances are often tinged with the feelings of uncertainty. Yet the same position can bring phenomenal luck in money through the most fantastic circumstances. Happenstance seems to be largely influential in money affairs. Motivations should be above "what's in it for me first."

With Neptune at the fourth angle and its adjacent houses, the base of life sometimes seems as uncertain as the fluctuations of the sea. This area is dominated by the Moon and considered foundational, the source of security and growth. Yet the very word foundation, as something concrete, and Neptune are antithetical. Neptune's foundations are in the soul. The individual often is connected to unfortunate, poor, chronically ill, or peculiar people at home, who are a subtle drain. He builds and builds, striving for something concrete above or beneath him, and is always conscious of his need for a home of his own. His environment may be completely chaotic, pervaded with a subtle restlessness that not only wearies him, but actually confuses his mind. As a surcease from restlessness and uncertainty he may spend too much on pleasure and undo himself in peculiar love situations, or strange perversions of self-expression.

Hence, those with Neptune in the 3rd, 4th or 5th houses and/or Gemini, Cancer, or Leo should be made aware of the necessity not to think of a base in terms of concrete reality. Neptune's influence flourishes superbly in subtle awareness of undercurrents, and in ability to translate personal ideas into universal meaning. These people sometimes have a subtle knack of knowing what goes on in other peoples' minds and can speak for them. Development of spiritual strength is an absolute necessity, otherwise he develops a trend to lose identity in the home, or through home associations, to feel that he

is nothing, dissolved or suspended in a world of no reality which will send him into periodic moods of despair and self-doubt. He is prone to be, or feel that he is, a slave to those in his home and should be exceedingly wary of how he involves himself in home obligations. At this angle dominated by Cancer, the holding power of the home and home conditions is enormous, and the individual may never get free. He must use his insight to determine what is just and deliberately shut out what doesn't belong to him, while he cultivates compassion for those whom he must help. Neptune lends depth of soul which brings universal significance to the personal expression. Love, then, often may be for an ideal or a cause more than for self-gratification. Neptune at this angle always demands unselfishness.

Neptunian Relationships

With Neptune at the 7th angle and its adjacent houses the individual tries to draw others into himself in ways of which he is not usually conscious. He often wonders why his relationships with others become distorted, and from causes which he cannot fathom. He finds himself moved into bizarre situations that have baffling under-currents which he feels he never sought and does not deserve. He sometimes feels completely isolated from the world, or drawn in where his identity does not count. This is true whether in his daily work, his partnership, or his situations of cooperative or inter-dependent resources. The Neptunian influence which dissolves, finds a difficult place in the 7th house where people are connected, hence it frequently makes for peculiarly selfish partnerships where the individual wants to dissolve everyone's identity, or where he feels that everyone wants to make nothing of him. That is why Neptune in the 7th makes such difficulties in marriage and all 7th house partnerships. Its influence is universal, never personal —yet how can marriage be anything but personal?

Hence, those with Neptune in the 6th, 7th, or 8th houses and/or Virgo, Libra, or Scorpio must deliberately cultivate awareness of the cosmic nature of every phase of their human relationship. In this area, whose activity springs from Libra, the sign of "others" or the world, the tricky Neptunian rays may tempt the individual to think that what he does is for the good of everyone and successfully hides—even from himself—that his real purpose is the exploitation of everyone for the good of himself alone. He expects too much of others and curiously, leads others to expect too much of him. When he finds life increasingly baffling, finds his human relationships constantly washed away, finds continual puzzling situations in his work, and that the people and the resources he counts on continually thin out, he can be sure he is living on the negative side of Neptune. He really doesn't understand what constitutes a fair division of labor. Neptune at this angle requires a continual stepping back to let the other fellow have what he wants. When he casts his bread upon the waters, the luck and fortuitous support of others comes when he needs them most.

With Neptune at the 10th angle and its adjacent houses the individual belongs to the world. At this angle, dominated by Saturn, all his public aspirations, philosophies, his prestige, reputation and place in the group are naturally dedicated to impersonal service. Since Neptune dissolves the personality completely in the work offered, those with Neptune here often do public work anonymously. It often corresponds to a change of name, or a dual life where the individual represents one thing to the public, and is quite another in private life. Neptune at this angle may bring strange notoriety or subtle defamation. The individual may be unjustly attacked for a reason that seems to be made up out of nothing and yet blooms into a strange growth. He may frequently be looked upon as queer, considered anti-social, not like others, and therefore attacked.

Hence those with Neptune on the 9th, 10th, or 11th house, and/or Sagittarius, Capricorn or Aquarius must be made aware that their aspirations should spring from a philosophy which, at base, is universal. Since the activities of this area spring from Capricorn, the sign of the humble public servant, what the individual professes must be of value to the group, for this is the only way in which he can maintain his reputation. He must see the oneness of all life; whatever he does must be part of the whole, whose ultimate purpose is for the whole; he simply cannot succeed when he seeks for himself alone. This position often stands for a person of great spiritual enlightenment who instinctively wants to serve everyone.

The Challenge of the Favorable

Lilyan Theodorff

Securely set in aspects favorable,
I dream along the way to sure disaster.
Salonius Ep. III, 27.

HERE, first, we must seek to resolve the seeming paradox presented by the title.

To all who share in the common characteristics of courage and durability which we believe to be so soundly inherent in the American tradition of living, the Challenge of the Unfavorable seems almost self-evident. But the Challenge of the Favorable—what sort of fallacy is this?—and still more fantastic would seem our thesis that, while the challenge is less direct, more subtle, it is, nevertheless, even more important, astrologically speaking—a problem of first magnitude.

And the reason for this is that the so-called malefic aspects provide, in the nature of things, their own stimulus. In the case of the good aspects, on the other hand, the stimulus must be provided by the native, if the harvest of benefit is to be gathered and stored. The "good" aspects are not self-winding or self-propelled. They are *there* — positive conditions, delicate and powerful tools, if you will, of which the wise and skillful may avail themselves to high advantage and satisfaction.

One of the most usual comments we hear, is "the *bad* aspects always work in my chart, but nothing good seems to happen under good aspects." To some degree this is certainly true. Why? Because there is far more dynamic energy in the so-called bad aspects — tho actually there is no such thing as a bad aspect.

The sextile and trine are the aspects most likely to be wasted, because, human nature being what it is, inertia is probably the greatest curse of humanity. If we get enough to be fairly comfortable we are likely to drift, yet it is under the sextile and trine that we should make our greatest effort, because this is where and how we will get the greatest degree of cooperation and results. The trine can give us vision, the ideas and understanding necessary for any achievement or goal, present us with opportunities. How many of us recognize an opportunity when it is before us, or DO anything about it, or take advantage of it when we are aware of it. The creativeness and inspiration in the trine is to be used in the building of foundations under the square aspect.

As related to the houses, the trine is a first and fifth house or a first and ninth house relationship (all aspects are taken from a relationship to the first house), therefore some form of self expression should be cultivated. If it is not used in the professional life, then it should be as a hobby. The fifth house trine is also related to the waxing phase of the Moon, so it is more indicative of growth in personal development. The ninth house trine is more one of understanding, broadening one's vision in working with other people, even internationally (travel is supposed to be broadening, educational). Being related to the waning phase of the Moon, it indicates that ones knowledge and understanding should be used for the benefit of the many, in broad, humanitarian developments. (These interpretations are valid regardless of the houses from which the planets form the trine in the birth-hour chart.)

The Grand Trine

A grand trine (when three planets are in trine to each other from different signs) has been considered favorable by some astrologers and unfavorable by others. If it is very exact by degree and in signs of the same element then there can be almost complete inertia—a closed circuit sort of thing. If it is out of element, or wide by degree it is more likely to be *used*. But if one of the planets in it is also part of a square aspect or even better, one leg of a T cross as well as part of the grand trine, then all the constructive elements in it can be released and used. You will have to work, of course, but almost any goal can be achieved. The planet linking the two sets of aspects is the key; study it most carefully by sign, house, etc.

In the sextile we have practical planning ability, the ability to USE all the knowledge, skills and tools at our disposal, and can count on assistance from others, from unexpected sources even.

As related to the houses, it is a first and third or eleventh house relationship. The third house sextile indicates the ability to use whatever is at hand, in any conditions you may find yourself. There should be executive ability in any sextile. In the eleventh house sextile there is the ability to achieve one's hopes, wishes and goals—quite possibly with the assistance of influential friends. It, like the ninth house trine, is related to a waning or culminating phase of the Moon, therefore should or at least can be broader in scope, and can mean the organizing of very large projects.

The multiple sextile or complete hexagonal pattern which is quite rare, gives great practical ability for productive accomplishment. In any multiple sextile pattern one or more of the planets is almost sure to be part of another aspect, and it is the combination, linking of aspects which gives most power and strength in a chart. Even the linking of a sextile and trine, that is two sextiles forming a trine, contains far more strength and force in it than either separately—creative vision used practically.

But as we said previously, the potentials indicated in the sextile and trine must be *consciously* used. Just drifting thru life, following the line of least resistance, they will bring you just enough to keep you nice and lazy. YOU have to DO something with them. YOU have to USE THEM. "Unless astrology is *put to use* as a revealer of vital significances . . . as a technique of personal integration . . . it remains a merely intellectual speculation." (Dane Rudhyar, *Astrology of Personality*. p. 499.)

Before interpreting individual aspects it is most important to see the pattern as a whole, the *focal determinators* (Marc Edmund Jones). The interrelationship of aspects is far more important than any separate aspects. Of course the individual aspects are studied for the purpose of understanding all the major and minor characteristics we have to use in working out the pattern as a whole. The more related the whole pattern is the more dynamic it will be, and the greater the results achieved in the life; also the greater the possibility of becoming an integrated personality.

Another fine point in interpreting aspects is to note which planet is applying in the aspect, for example—Venus 10° Gemini, Mars 12° Aries, Venus is applying, and this is also a waxing phase aspect, a first and third house relationship. Venus, the faster moving planet, has left the conjunction of Mars but has not yet reached the opposition. Venus 12° Gemini, Mars 10° Aries is still a waxing phase aspect but Mars is the applying planet. Venus 10° Aquarius, Mars 10° Aries, Venus is applying again but it is a waning phase aspect, or a first and eleventh house reltaionship. Next, is the applying planet a positive or receptive one? If a positive planet, the emphasis will be on the initiative involved, the actual doing of the thing; if it is applying to a receptive planet, study that planet very carefully to know just what results or satisfactions you are really after. If the applying planet is a receptive one, the *results* are the major purpose of the activity in the aspect. So naturally if both planets are positive ones, the *doing* is the important thing. If both are receptive, the *results* are the more important.

Also the departments of life related and emphasized by the aspects can be ascertained by noting the departmental pairs. Their relationship or unrelatedness can give us considerable and valuable information. They are, according to Marc Edmund Jones: Sun and Moon, the very basis of life, emotions; Mars and Venus, circumstances of our everyday affairs, emotions (both these pairs are studied

for our emotional drives); Jupiter and Saturn, soul or psychological values; Uranus and Neptune, society, our relationship to society as a whole. Mercury is linked with Mars and Venus, Pluto with Uranus and Neptune. To some degree Mercury is linked with all the planets, the go-between, the Messenger of the Gods. And perhaps Pluto is also, in the sense of linking people in the broad ideologies of our time.

At the Foundation we have learned that it is not too difficult to teach the principles of astrology, tho we do have to keep stressing that the student remember what he is using, the very clear distinction between planets, signs and houses; planets are activity, signs are function, houses are circumstances, or *what, how, where,* the aspects are the pattern of behavior. But to teach the synthesis of the chart as a whole is extraordinarily difficult. Astrology is an ART. That is why the ability to see the chart as a *whole first,* to be able to get some meaning from the pattern as a *whole,* is of such enormous value. There is no doubt in our mind that Marc Edmund Jones will go down in history as having made a tremendous contribution to the modern development of astrology, if it were only for this thesis alone.

Astrology's Real Use

The real use of astrology is to help you to know, to understand yourself. Your astrological map is the blue print of what you are potentially, so learn to build it in actuality—BE IT. Or rather *become* it and continue to become it more and more all your life; there is no completion or end to the becoming or growth or degree of consciousness possible for an individual. It's difficult? Of course—so is learning to play an expert game of golf, to play a concerto, or do anything really well—but what enjoyment and satisfaction when we do. Self development, learning the art of living can give the greatest satisfaction of all, return the largest dividends.

Also it should be said here that the *transits* are an extraordinary timing device in any given period of life. They will indicate the time to prepare or the time to initiate action; give you a knowledge of the circumstantial pattern you are likely to find yourself in; whether you have a *red* or *green* light. Which departments of the life will be emphasized and how. So that combined with a knowledge of the natal pattern you can determine your attitude toward any problem or opportunity and handle it so as to gain the most from it, make the most progress. Problems or opportunities are only relatively important, it is our attitude toward them that is of the utmost importance. And what we learn from them.

Too many people have the stupidly mistaken idea—all they have to do is to go to an astrologer to be told 'what is going to happen' and then they are relieved of all responsibility—*they don't have to do anything.*

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GEMINI

THE NEXT 12 MONTHS

FOR THOSE BORN MAY 21 TO JUNE 21

By Pauline Messina

SINCE 1942, change and yet more change has been the total picture for many Geminians. At that time you had both Saturn and Uranus conjunct your Sun, strong indications of major responsibilities and major shifts of circumstances. Some of these may have seemed even fatalistic, because so unpredictable, unforeseen, and surprising. Uranus left Gemini in 1949. Saturn, now in Virgo, is square its own place relative to the cycle that began in 1942, as well as square your Sun. This is the 4th house square, the first important change or new angle of direction to the events, responsibilities, new relationships and new experiences that were instigated seven years ago. They have been building to the point where they now assume other forms and perhaps require adjustment, revaluation, and new departures.

The Saturn Cycle

The 4th house relates to everything that is foundational in life. Its most frequent connotation is that of home, parents, race memories and family patterns—in a word, roots. Saturn's transit of the 4th house poses problems of security. While material security may be uppermost, you also become more aware of the spiritual as well as the realistic factors of what security means. If your only concern is with your physical necessities, the maintenance of a home, and your obligations to those in the home, again on the material level, you will miss the deepest meaning of Saturn in the 4th. This is the strengthening of those subjective sources which make you your own man. This is the point where you build foundations of the strongest type, that inner buttressing of self that stays with you on the climb up from the 4th house, or your life's foundations.

This does not mean that the responsibilities of Saturn in the 4th in material and physical terms are not real. Indeed, they are not only real, but can often be heavy burdens. Much depends on what has gone before and where you are going from here. What do you want? What do roots mean to you? Saturn in the 4th frequently brings the problems of elders. This may be the time when you are elected to take care of a parent, whether or not you so wish, or can even physically do so. Be sure that it is just, because obligations taken on now will probably last another seven years. Sometimes this position measures to the starting of a home of your own for the first time, with all of its concomitant responsibilities and obligations. Again, it may measure to freedom from obligation if up until this moment you have been carrying a heavy load and have earned release. Whatever it means in any particular case, it is sure to measure to a change, since Saturn makes the square or friction-aspect to your Sun.

WHAT TO DO

Try to settle home affairs on fair bases between now and Christmas.
Capitalize on excellent money-making opportunities, particularly July, 1950 and January, 1951.
Try new mtehods, new slants; don't be afraid to pioneer.
Keep cash reserves regardless of how wonderful things look.
Cultivate unselfish attitudes in love, affairs of children, and recreational urges.

Should you find that you are feeling unduly sorry for yourself, better look circumstances "squarely" in the eye. If you are doing more than you should be doing, perhaps you can arrange things otherwise, unless you're enjoying being a martyr and pitying yourself at the same time, for the two often go together. If those in your environment are imposing upon you, don't hoard resentment but try to find some fair division of responsibility. For your own sake, try to sidestep resentments in necessary obligations, fear for your security, and suspicious attitudes that all build to bad relationships in life's very foundations. Rather take what must be done in your stride, with the thought that this is the beginning of a new cycle where roots now set down, will stay by you for the long pull. Sometimes this whole aspect measures to the end of school days and the start of new responsibilities for yourself which require courage, stamina and a long view. Geminians born June 2nd to 5th may feel the impact of Saturn square the Sun strongly, particularly at the end of May through June when Saturn is direct in motion in 12° Virgo. This could be a final break, or a new start for many.

Saturn leaves Virgo the end of November and touches 2° Libra by January, then retrogrades back to Virgo through July. While Saturn is in Libra you get a preview of Saturn trine the Sun, which has much to do with the strengthening and deepening of the personal affections and self-expressive urges. This will be felt most strongly by Geminians born May 21st through May 25th.

Geminians born 1883, 1884, 1885 will be faced with heavy problems of home and roots. For many it may measure to the breaking up of home and unavoidable changes. Particularly 1884 Geminians should guard against potentially accidental home conditions and use unusual care with breakables, explosives, or electrical materials. Those born 1914-15 also have Saturn in 4th house square to its birthplace, which measures to hard work, important decisions relative to home, parents, and everything of foundational nature. The 1915 people, particularly, should use caution in personal relationships, especially as these reflect on prestige, standing with superiors, and ambitions.

For 1891-92 birthdays, Saturn makes its second return to its own place, always a critical time. Again, a strong mutable cross is emphasized, which always stresses personal relations. This is not the time to make changes, but to use all your wits to take care of what comes. Geminians born 1920-21-22 also have Saturn over its own place, the first major Saturn cycle. This is the time youth usually realizes that it is on its own feet and must take care of itself, and where life paths are generally charted in a given direction, or should be. Geminians born 1921, particularly, may have spectacular professional or job opportunities which need very careful handling. The unforeseen is very much part of the picture. Once more, personalities play a large part in success or failure. Use extreme diplomacy in handling people.

Geminians born 1898-99 and 1928 have transiting Saturn square the Sun as well as square natal Saturn in the 7th, emphasizing critical conditions with partners. Intelligent activity seems indicated to maintain a balance between the necessities of home and foundations, and personal relations of the partnership type, whether business, social or marital.

Geminians born 1906 have the double challenge of Saturn opposite its own place, and Uranus opposite its own place. Problems of job and career, relations with superiors, must be carefully assayed, at the same time that money matters are affected by changing conditions. This is the critical period of the early forties that everyone goes through and in your case it has strong repercussions on job and earnings, as well as life foundations.

Jupiter

Jupiter's transit of your 10th house in Pisces further stresses the strong mutable emphasis of this year's influence. For most of the next year you have Saturn square your Sun in the mutable sign Virgo on one side, and Jupiter in the mutable Pisces on the other. Mutable signs have much to do with personality factors. Thus, Jupiter in your 10th which rules prestige, place in the world, relations with superiors, reputation, and your ambitions in general, will bring its best benefits through your handling of the human element. Geminians are exceedingly friendly and humanistic in outlook, and this year is a test of your powers in handling human relations. There may be times when you will think that you've had about as much of people as you can stand,

but this is a case of "you can't get along with 'em or without 'em," so better plan on getting along.

Jupiter in 10th is a dominating position, one of the best to promote yourself in business and the eyes of the world. Superiors are apt to favor you. Good things come your way without too much effort. But you will have to guard against getting too dominating, or "bossy," or cutting too many corners on the climb up. Because Jupiter is square your Sun, judgment at times won't be too reliable. The trend to over-optimism, taking too much for granted, and extravagance in outreach, can cause trouble.

Jupiter retrogrades back to Aquarius September 14th and remains there through December 1st, where it makes the "luck" trine to Geminians born June 18th to 21st. This is the time to push ahead and cement those relationships, projects and ideas which perhaps have thus far eluded you. Try to be realistic in expectations because in April, Jupiter makes its first opposition to Saturn from your 10th to 4th houses. It will then affect the two most important areas of your life, your job and standing (10th house) and your life's foundations (4th house). It is certainly wiser to conduct your affairs circumspectly, so that foundations will remain firm and your position in the world steady, which may not be the case if you overreach. Jupiter enters Aries in late April 1951 to make its first square to Uranus in your house of money in late May. This is another warning not to be too sweeping in your expectations, which applies not only to your position, but to those projects where money matters are involved with friends.

However, there is considerable luck in money matters around you during a good part of 1950 and early 1951. Uranus is now in your 2nd house of earning resources and capacities, where it remains through 1955. This year Jupiter makes a long-lasting trine to Uranus from your 10th house to your 2nd, a splendid money aspect. Through June, July, early August and end of December, 1950, and January, 1951 your original, inspirational and progressive ideas will surely increase your earnings and improve your place in the world. Superiors will be receptive; those who can help are open to workable suggestions for expansion. This is the time to forge ahead and try new ventures, tune in on what is most progressive and forward-looking in your total picture, for self-promotion. New departures, provided they are well-founded and not just a flash in the pan, could pay off unbelieveably well. With Uranus in 2nd you should find considerable independence in your pursuit of earnings, but should also expect, and adapt to, considerable fluctuation. Sometimes Uranus here brings the best earnings of a lifetime, if you understand what Uranus means, for it rules the unpredictable. You can't stay in the same old rut and benefit from Uranian influences. Yet you will only destroy yourself if discontent makes you tear up what you have out of sheer restlessness and/or recklessness. Know what you are doing; tackle new ideas and go ahead full speed if you are reasonably certain that your venture is worthwhile.

Neptune

Since 1942 Neptune has tenanted your 5th house and remains there through 1955. This is an influence to which you are long accustomed whether or not you know it. Neptune's influence is so subtle and all pervasive, that it may be an entrenched part of your feelings and self-expression without your awareness. Neptune in the 5th is a tremendous aid to the creative worker, for it expands the imaginative power. Particularly as it is favorable to your Sun, you should find ease of expression and unusual facility. In romantic areas, however, it can be very deceptive. To some, accustomed to living on a high inspirational level, it may bring the height of romance. Your feelings become broadened and your understanding more sensitive and perceptive. This influence can bring you a wide variety

WHAT NOT TO DO

Don't cut corners to get on top.
Don't take gambles with earnings, or press your financial advantage.
Don't endanger foundations by pioneering that disregards family obligation and destroys roots.
Don't let self-indulgent habits grow on you.
Don't confuse glamor with genuine worth in romance.

of romantic experiences with a wide variety of people because your tastes will be more encompassing.

Nevertheless, the search for unattainable perfection is often characteristic of Neptune's transit of this house. While the pursuit of perfection is excellent in artistic or creative work, it often becomes a fantasy when applied to human relationships. Women with this position often are waiting for the "Golden Knight on the White Charger," and men are prone to seek their "dream girl," all far removed from everyday reality. If you are a creative worker, be sure to lean on your own resources for expression, for your creative urges are within yourself. This is the time to cultivate them and not depend on inspiration to come to you from outside.

Pluto

Pluto remains in your 3rd house for many years. Its influence in this department is distinctly mental, and you are apt to be caught up in the ideologies of your age and environment, perhaps to extremes. Watch out that you don't become so obsessed with ideas that you lose all perspective. Further, you will be wise not to impose your obsessions on those around you. It is quite likely that those in your environment, associates, etc., are politically minded, much concerned with the conditions of the world, the rights of man, capital and labor, international politics, or that you draw such people to you. Nevertheless, with this placement at times you will have insights into man and his destiny in the framework of our drastically changing social picture that can bring you into real importance in your circle.

Month by Month Preview

JUNE: The overtones of luck predominate in June, but with Saturn still square your Sun, influences are mixed. You have to work hard for whatever you get, but there is real opportunity for expansion relative to position, relations with superiors, and earnings. Jupiter turns retrograde in your 10th on the 26th, so cement and establish those projects and relationship which affect your place in the world and your earnings therefrom. All through June and July Uranus moves slowly up to make a long-lasting trine from your 2nd house of money to Jupiter in 10th, probably your best money-making period of the year. The lunation in your Sun sign on the 15th further stresses personal effort. The former tumult in home affairs should now be a thing of the past as Mars leaves your 4th house to enter your Libra 5th. Should you need help in basic affairs—parents, home obligations, etc.—there is plenty to be found behind the scenes, especially near the 12th.

JULY: Continue to work on situations that relate to job and earnings under the Jupiter-Uranus trine. While the scope of possible advancement has probably been already set, there is still opportunity to strengthen your worldly place. With Venus in your Sun sign making good aspects to Mars and Neptune through the 10th, early July is splendid for a vacation. Romance, affairs of children, your own creative projects should blossom. However, tendency toward heavy expenditures for the above is quite likely, particularly as the lunation in your second house emphasizes money matters. You could have a wild romantic spree around the 13th. Better use restraint. Feelings are heightened and as always when Neptune is strong, you could be very mistaken. The last week mental work, expression of skills and talent gains from originality and the individualistic touch. Money could run through your hands like water near the 27th and 28th. Better hold on, as reserves here may be suddenly needed.

AUGUST: Be skeptical the first few days. Make no promises at home the results of which are uncertain, and don't put too much stock into business promises made you. Home affairs require much attention to tedious details and you may have to face some hard facts around the 14th through 16th. You are apt to be much caught up in everyday trivia, routine tasks that must be done whether or not you feel like it. Don't let it get you down because after the 10th your energies can be focused on the necessities of your job in such a way that you can reap excellent benefits, particularly near the 15th and the 23rd. Indeed, that entire period again stresses the luck that ties up your daily necessities, your prestige, and your earnings in opportunistic fashion. By being at the right place at the right time things can just flow your way. Between the 20th and 27th you could have an

office romance or make a nearby contact of the flame-up and sizzle-out type; there's hectic excitement somehow related to environmental and working associates. Don't blow a fuse.

SEPTEMBER: The total eclipse in 18° Virgo puts heavy emphasis on the necessities of your home and life's foundations. The whole month focuses your awareness in this department and comes at a time when your nose is apt to be to the grindstone, though to good effect, where your job is concerned. Try to take home affairs in your stride and view them objectively. This attitude helps you sidestep fatigue and depression in parental and basic relationships. Lay low, particularly near the 17th. For some Geminians this could easily measure to a removal and its concomitant hard work, or redecorating and its upsets. But should your troubles be on the personal level, be extremely cagy in your handling of the personal element where it affects your roots and set obligations. After the 26th affairs lighten, but be circumspect. You must still move slowly.

OCTOBER: You must move slowly because Mars now in the 7th requires cooperative attitudes. The 7th house rules the other fellow, and he is the one who now has the say. Further, Mars in Sagittarius emphasizes the mutable influence as it opposes your Sun while Saturn squares it, and Mars squares Saturn. This always connotes that you will be wise to handle with tact the human element relative to home and cooperative relations of every type. Sometimes under such influence you find yourself involved with other people before you know how it happened, and you don't know how to get out. You will probably be very busy, caught up in hectic days full of all kinds of human pressures. However, Venus in your 5th house can make you at peace with yourself and heighten your desire for pleasure, romance, etc. Be careful that you don't delude yourself under the Neptunian stimulations. The personal element is particularly tricky around the 14th-15th, 21st-22nd, 29th-30th. Don't say more than you mean nor get pulled into situations not of your own choosing. And when you do choose, choose very carefully.

NOVEMBER: Around the 3rd good news betters human relations. Nevertheless, keep a balance between your expectations relative to job and an expanding future, and your obligations at home. These can still trip you up around the same time. You can improve conditions with coworkers and the details of your job that have financial benefits the first week. Indeed, the whole month centers attention on your job, with the lunation in your 6th house conjunct Venus. This is excellent testimony toward the bettering of the details of everyday necessity. On the 6th Mars enters Capricorn, your 8th house of cooperative funds and interdependent interests. Earnings may improve, but outgo is sure to be heavy, particularly where romance is concerned. Better investigate to see if some of your romantic leanings are not illusionary.

DECEMBER: This month work to get joint money affairs settled before Christmas. Your focus of awareness is sharply orientated on cooperative and interdependent resources. Be flexible to gain and expect no more of others than you would be willing to give yourself. Be sure you know all the angles, because just before the holiday your plans for pleasure, romance, and so forth, may be based on financial expectancies not realizable. Be alert to undercurrents as they reflect on joint money projects. Business should be excellent the first three weeks. However, your interests have a tendency to be widely dispersed, particularly so around the holidays. Your pleasure-loving and spending urge could be quite a problem. Better look ahead, for you are working up to an aspect that will be a test of your stability. Maintain reserves.

JANUARY: The first week in January is excellent for a vacation if one is possible. Your mind is still set on "green pastures yonder." People, places, and projects at a distance are apt to be more enchanting than things close by. After the 10th business activity picks up again with strong support toward improving your earnings and financial position. Considerable excitement relative to prestige, standing, relations with superiors, and business advancement requires astute handling. Originality, unusual slants, self-confidence, should pay off in cash. But continue to look ahead and keep a working reserve; be ready for unusual demands or sudden opportunity that could completely change your picture, but which need tangible assets.

FEBRUARY: All month activity is centered on business. There is an undercurrent that could lead to real expan-

sion, but could also turn out to be the over-inflated balloon that bursts. There is no question that you Geminians are under the most exciting influences which may catapult you forward or, if not well thought out, and carefully appraised, give you an awful setback. You are moving up to a peak of business prestige which may be part of wide forthcoming changes of a nature not now foreseeable. Yet, at the same time it may be very hard for you to keep your mind down to practical necessities. No matter how tempted, take the conservative course and refuse to be pushed into a gamble. You may have to make a decision that involves not only your business, but the very foundations of your life. You will get a taste of this the last five days which will give you an idea of the stability of your over-all money situation.

MARCH: Another distracting month, when fundamentals and their demands, plus an accelerated social picture, may confuse the most important issues. Business should be excellent through the 10th, and this is the best time to sign contracts, agreements, and the like, if necessary. From the 12th through the 24th, however, there is a glamorous tie-up between your objectives and the self-expressive pleasurable side of your life which can be somewhat deceptive. Insofar as social ramifications aid business, use them for practical gain. But be wary in your personal expectations where romance and recreation are somehow tied up with group and community projects, as these could be disappointing around the 15th. Better close your ears to "sweet promises." The last week private contacts relative to money and earning capacities can be helpful. You now face the first Jupiter-Saturn opposition between your 10th and 4th houses. Basic necessities (Saturn in 4th) challenges urge toward expansion (Jupiter in 10th).

APRIL: The above aspect is the one previously described as requiring great caution. It may measure to a complete change in position, home conditions, or both. You may never go back to your earlier situation or home. For some, money matters will need most cautious charting. In any case, you are sure to face some serious situation which has been in the making since Christmas. The results of this may be a complete change for the better, but even at its best, fundamentals are under fire. Should this not measure to anything important at the moment, it is yet a pointer to a broadly changing picture. This comes simultaneously with Jupiter's transit from your 10th house to your 11th of "hopes and wishes," and your life's momentum. For the rest of the year your group, community, and personal associations will play a large part in your progress. After the 15th, slow down, particularly in reference to private understandings. Don't press for issues.

MAY: After May 8th purely private and confidential matters are more easily handled. Venus in your Sun sign should give your spirits a lift. Yet, for a little while longer, emphasis remains on behind-the-scene activities. From the 8th through the 16th, your money picture fluctuates markedly. Better not bank on anything, or spend on expectations. Your urge toward sweeping attitudes about finances are not justified. After the 18th, Mars in your Sun sign energizes your urge to press forward. Be wise and move slowly. Your birthdate month gives you a far better go-ahead signal. Until then investigate, consult, try out, appraise in quiet ways what will be ripe for development later.

EINSTEIN

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under a benefic aspect for expansion. This Mars, moreover, is in strong trine ot Pluto, the planet of spiritual evolution. Thus again we come upon more keys to the tremendous occult implications in Einstein's work. Here see his ability for sustained, creative levels of thought in the non-material realms of the universe, incomprehensible to most of us.

Needless to say, Dr. Einstein's "passionate interest in social justice," etc., is to be found in Jupiter's position in Aquarius, the sign of science and humanitarianism and progress. Jupiter, the planet of the Greater Fortune, of expansion, posited high in the chart, takes on a dominate power. That this has been his passport to the cosmos, so to speak, is further seen in the semi-sextile to the Sun and the sextile to Mars. But Jupiter is just passed the square to Pluto in Taurus.

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Message of the Stars

FOR JUNE, 1950

By Olive E. Reed

THE melody of June appears to be a rendition in two parts: the first half played in dulcet tones and soothing tempo; the second half in crescendo and evolving into the furious rhythm of a "jam session." For sweet Venus swings the baton during the first half of June, but suddenly surrenders it (or is it snatched from her) to the individualistic Uranus the second half of the month.

Uranus is strongly accentuated on two counts: (1) the third and final square aspect from Mars the week of the 19th—the first one occurred at the turn of the year, the second during March; and (2) the Full Moon of June 29th culminating with Uranus less than three degrees from the Sun. Now, with so much accent on Uranus, it might be profitable to review the nature and meaning of this dynamic energy in human experience.

About the time of Uranus' discovery (1781), a hitherto unknown spirit of independence began to enflame the hearts and minds of men — not alike for all peoples, it is true, but sufficiently powerful to so radically change the destiny of nations and individuals that in effect an entirely new world was created.

Before the dawn of Uranus, individuals were little more than pawns of temporal powers, chattels of despotic rulers, slaves of tyrannical demigods. Although every era had its great thinkers, artists, statesmen, and inventors, individual liberty was but a madman's dream. From our modern perspective—and not forgetting that liberty is still but a dream for some—the world lay stagnant for centuries. And then, almost overnight, courage infused itself into human consciousness. Something new was added unto humanity, or perhaps it is more appropriate to say the human spirit stirred to its greater potentiality. In any event, it dared to dream of individual rights, rose to defy vested authority, cast off its robe of fear fashioned by tradition; in short, man dared what was close to an impossibility, and surprised himself in the daring. Once thus aroused, individuals commenced to demonstrate the resourcefulness of which the human spirit is capable if it will but assert itself.

True it is that this creative ingenuity has gone astray in too many respects. There has been more violence and bloodshed in the new age of freedom than in all the centuries of tyrannical oppression put together. There has been great perversion and abuse and misuse of the rights that have been won by man, but this is because the age of freedom is young and, indeed, to some extent still in the process of birth. The fact remains that from any historical perspective, greater progress has been made since the discovery of Uranus than during the entire course of man's prior history. Balancing less than two hundred years against the five or six thousand years of recorded history, one must stand in awe at the terrific pace at which humanity has advanced in this short span of time. That guile and violence have also advanced cannot detract from the fact that present day civilization offers opportunities to her children that were utterly unknown but a short while ago.

Thus, Uranus is the harbinger of progress, and any time it is emphasized in the planetary pattern, here is a special pointing of individual opportunity, due to the heightening of courage, originality, creative skill, resourceful strategy, and of course, the intensification of whatever love of freedom resides in man's psyche. That risk must accompany such a trend is inevitable, for originality respects no law but its own driving need for expres-

sion, and even the elements of Nature become unpredictable. Moreover, the capacities of individuals for either initiating or responding to change must remain unknown until put to the test.

We look to the segment of the zodiac that Uranus energizes to glean the nature of the opportunity along with the possible risks that pose a challenge. Currently, and for the next six years, this happens to be the nest-building Cancer, a cycle that began about a year ago. Cancer represents in principle the ideal of family sentiment, national pride or patriotism, personal loyalty or emotional dependence, motherhood or matriarchal sustainment. None of these fundamental concepts are compatible with the nature of Uranus, who does not wish to be dependent, bound, or protected. Yet there is opportunity for expressing these ideals on a higher level, for bringing forth a new kind of patriotism, for putting down roots by choice rather than necessity, for alignment with bigger and better Causes, for the establishment of emotional patterns and the enactment of laws that permit greater freedom and self-expression.

This is Uranus' third transit of Cancer since its discovery, and each time before, the cause of liberty was extended to greater proportions, though seemingly focused in one part of the world, namely the United States of America. In fact, the first transit correlated with the birth of this nation, while the second saw a race recently freed from slavery commencing to make a new life for itself. Though the focus was in the United States, these developments had global significance, as has become evident in the course of time, until today hardly a corner of the world is left untouched by the magic of human discontent. Twice before this magic wrought epochal changes in the destiny of whole peoples, definitive enough to be seen as starting points of major cycles of racial progress, and one is justified in wondering what the magic of the current seven-year cycle will leave to posterity in this foundational sense. Unlike World War I and World War II, which were supposed to have been fought over the issue of freedom, but certainly not won in any true sense, Uranus in Cancer did set people free, and did bring definite results that stand out in bold relief against the larger cycles of history. The point that is important in contemplating Uranus in Cancer is not whether freedom will be fought for, but with what finality it may be won or lost.

Primal Function of Uranus in Cancer

Primarily, Uranus in Cancer severs the Silver Cord that normally binds dependent and protector, the dependent (individual or group) either striking out for itself or being compelled to fend for itself, the protector determined to impose its will upon that which it would nurture, or alternatively denying its protection for assorted reasons. It is final and critical, for once the cord is severed, the dependent's will must be reckoned with, and there is no telling what direction it will take.

What has all this to do with the period we are studying, particularly the latter part of June? Perhaps nothing; perhaps a great deal. It is certainly a time when the magic of discontent MAY reach volcanic proportions, when developments may be quite definite, issues very sharp and critical. Decisions may be irrevocable, impulsions out of control, incidents powerful enough to provide the clue to the probabilities of this cycle as a whole. There is opportunity in all this for great progress, but also a heightening of recalcitrance to upset anyone's calculations. It is opportunity for those whose creative skills are regulated by a sense of responsibility and a respect for the other fellow's individuality. It is risky and dangerous for those who protest without knowing why, who offer no alternative for what they condemn, who lack faith in themselves and everyone else, who know no law but the power of their own uncontrolled passions, and who demand privileges they have not earned and are not willing to work for.

Personal loyalties may do an about-face, alien influences may be as active (in nations or individuals) as the forces that are determined to route them out. The laws of private ownership may be challenged or subjected to revision, while private enterprise gains or loses power in spectacular fashion. The gain is suggested by the support from Jupiter, but at least a few entrepreneurs may overexpand or disallow for contingencies under the conflict from Mars.

Family relations are likely to be disturbed as children turn disobedient, and those of marriageable age bring home companions which parents reject, or parents try to enforce ideas which their

offspring violently repudiate. Religious beliefs may become the subject of heated discussion in the home, and in broader scope the religion of a nation may be under attack.

One of the greatest challenges confronting man today is the housing situation in almost every corner of the world, and it may be that a new era of housing and building design will commence to emerge, along with some unique agricultural and mining developments.

In various ways we may expect to see some precedents broken and new ones established, and it is quite possible that individuals and groups will employ surprise tactics. A lot depends upon the skill and purpose of the individual whether he moves into a better or worse pattern, whether he contributes anything to progress or just makes trouble, whether his courage is fortified with brains or just a desire for exercise, whether he respects the rights of others in expressing his individualism or rides roughshod over all who get in his way. Much that seemed hitherto impossible becomes possible under this kind of dynamic motivation, but results cannot be anticipated, and there are some who will abort their opportunities or destroy their advantage for no other reason than that they jumped the gun or leaped before they looked.

Whatever of perversity (originality at the other extreme) lies latent in human nature will be ready to spring into action, and it won't take much to touch it off. Change is definitely operating to an extreme degree the second half of June. Many people just love a trend of this sort. It is exciting and they thrive on it, while others dread it or fight it in desperation. Everyone would be well advised to have a very fluid schedule through these two weeks, one that will allow for extra diversions or interferences and activities that are not part and parcel of normal routine. There should be no pursuit of blind impulse, but a readiness to do the expedient thing in terms of the momentary need. Those who have lacked courage to make a move that should have been made ere this, may suddenly be freed of hampering restrictions, psychological or otherwise, while not a few will find themselves stirred to new accomplishment and self-expression. Locational changes and odd discoveries seem particularly highlighted, both by preference and necessity.

That this Uranian trend may be truly expansive is denoted by the support Uranus receives from Jupiter throughout the month. Here is a promise of real progress due to a combining of generosity with ingenuity, or of sympathy with the drive for independence. Problems may have a ready solution or a compensatory alternative. Religious and charitable institutions seem to hold an advantage, either in their ability to recruit workers and funds, or in the effectiveness of their service to the needy.

Mars

The first eleven days of June, Mars will be finishing up his long Virgo transit, but now definitely moving forward away from the restraining hand of Saturn. While in Virgo, the god of action remains busy with fine details and keeps occupied with many chores not ordinarily his concern. He seems conscientious, however, and quite effective in his efforts to leave things in apple-pie order before proceeding on to new adventures. Properly, his efforts are enlisted in finishing up the tasks he has committed himself to. And in fact, some of his major obligations may be completed early in June, leaving him free to gather estimates for new ventures, and enabling him to turn to classifying and analyzing data pertaining to future projects, stocking up with supplies, building up health reserves, recruiting followers, rearranging personnel, and laying out a future course of action.

At the completion of the Virgo cycle on June 11th, Mars is ready to cast aside his work clothes and don the finery of the gay cavalier as thoughts turn to love and adventure. He is to preside over the house of Venus, but this domain has become surrounded by an ocean of mystery every since Neptune entered Libra about 1942. Therefore, Mars not only has the task of refining his manners in order to substitute for the Lady of Love, but he needs also come laden with noble intentions and pure heart if he is to win the favor of Neptune and be guided safely across the sea of illusion that stands between him and the goddess' home of culture and social grace. Mars does not actually reach Neptune's shores until July, but he had a glimpse last February, and now in June must sense he is moving in that direction again. In any event, he is probably a gay and sociable fellow as he begins to warm up for this new cycle,

but is he aware that his desires or expectations may conflict with another mighty power? Does he remember last July when he had occasion to spend a little time with Uranus? What was it he was impelled to do then, and what will he do when he suddenly realizes Uranus expects something of him now—specifically the week of June 19th? Will he defy the superior command, will he ignore it, or will he suddenly drop all his plans and enlist in the cause of freedom, or will he misinterpret the command and take it as license to cut a few capers of his own?

Mars in Libra, under normal conditions, should step up the tempo of personal interaction, stimulating partnership relations, companionship, legal contracts and treaties, and diplomatic negotiations. Initiative should be employed in cultural activities or in a social context where the symbols of beauty and love may be shared. But Mars is not functioning under normal conditions, as already outlined, and it is possible he weighs the scales on the side of competition, partly from choice and partly from necessity.

Personal relations in romance and marriage, and other forms of partnership or alliances, may be under severe tension if not actually disturbed. There is apt to be a wave of shifting interests and plans, of large and small scope. Of course, there is as much probability of sudden attractions and alliances as there is of sudden estrangements, the breaking of engagements and treaties, and divorce. For the pattern suggests a restless outreaching for more congenial company, and a readiness to experiment in love and personal relations. Women as well as men express the Martian energy, and the masculine pronoun for Mars is not to be taken to mean that the males of the species alone are the sole opportunists, in love, war, business, politics, or anything else. The weaker sex is no helpless babe in the woods of competition, and in a cycle of this sort, may take great delight in playing the game for all it is worth.

Venus

With all the unique possibilities of the Uranian trend, it is worth noting that Venus is a stabilizing force throughout the month, as she moves through Taurus from the 1st to 27th. The Goddess of Love is at home in Taurus, although this is her night kingdom, or storehouse of plenty where here values are codified and preserved, her standards measured for practical utility, her gifts to life fashioned and marked for future delivery, rather than her day home where her gifts are on display and openly shared. (Again the pronoun is a convenience, since men express the qualities of Venus along with women.) The Lady seems chastened after last month's spree, and may be powerful enough to keep Mars from sharing more than he has a right to, or if he does become too reckless in his travels she may be able to make up the deficit. At least, she promises to fructify the earth and bring forth some rich crops, and she may manage to preserve some of the values that Mars and Uranus together are all too ready to flaunt.

It is something on which to pin our hopes, but more definitely the first half of the month when a series of favorable aspects permit a building up of reserves and enhance general standards. The aspects are a parallel to Jupiter on the 2nd, a sextile to Uranus on the 4th, a sextile to Jupiter on the 7th, and a trine to Saturn on the 12th. This would seem to be the best part of the month for mundane affairs, and it would be wise to consummate as much as possible by the 12th.

On the 15th, Venus squares Pluto, and it may be significant that no other aspects are made the balance of the month. It poses the question, will there be a raising or lowering of standards, of prices, of values, of the laws of exchange? In itself, the aspect isn't too important, as it passes quickly, but culminating at the beginning of the Uranian trend, and considering that Venus makes no more aspects this month, it may coincide with an important incident that lessens her control over some of the values dear to her heart. The fact that she remains in Taurus until the 27th promises SOME stability, but certainly not as much as earlier in the month.

Another reason for seeing the first half of June as the most productive, fruitful, rewarding, is that Mercury moves forward through the domain of Venus to lend an idea or two of practical worth, and perhaps help out in the process of labeling and delivering some well-earned gifts. The winged messenger isn't as lazy as he may have been last month, and he may hasten negotiations that he failed to complete previously.

On June 14th, Mercury moves into Gemini, one of the two signs over which

he has dominion, and this would be very promising if he did not have Jupiter, on one side, and Saturn, on the other, pouring in demands and complaints, and promoting all sorts of complicated situations. Perhaps the complications have been there all the whole, but he has ignored them and now suddenly becomes aware of having to untangle the wires that have become crossed, decoding the messages that have piled up, sorting out the truth that has been shuffled with fiction, giving ear to garbled versions of what has happened in his absence, replying to the many appeals for aid, and searching out the cause of all the disorder in a realm where logic and reason should reign supreme.

As Mercury takes up his role of messenger again, men's minds will quicken to the necessity confronting them. The necessity, in terms of Jupiter, would be better distribution without dissipation or extravagance (in thought, deed, or intention), and the necessity, in terms of Saturn, would be more prudent regulation without prejudice, greed, or default of real obligations. Chances are that there will be considerable waste, followed by regret, or false justification of the mistakes made, as Mercury in Gemini, afflicted, is a master of the art of rationalization. On the other hand, necessity is the mother of invention, and since the Lord of Mind is strong in his own home he may be expected to release a fresh supply of ideas, devise alternative measures, and manipulate the lines of communication in such a way as to bring divergent issues to a clearer focus.

Greater versatility in thought and communication should be evident, although this is not to be taken as a promise of complete harmony, agreement, mutual understanding. It merely means a sharpening of man's thinking capacity. *As a man thinketh, so is he,* which is another way of saying that man and his world are better or worse according to his collective attitude. Complex and divergent as this may be, it is yet in the power of any individual to create his own attitude (which, after all, is his true reality) by adjusting the focus of his mind to comprise what he "thinks" is right and good and worthwhile.

In this period of high mental stimulation, there should be many such adjustments or shifting points of view, some of the adjustments leading to more lucid perceptions, and some, no doubt, leading to a more muddled perspective due to the comprisement of too many ideas at once. Perhaps we need to freshen up our logic, making it our tool rather than our master, and we may also need to learn to put first things first and avoid getting tangled up by the ability of our mental mechanism which is not averse to toying with redundant "ifs," "ands," and "buts," even when the issue is crystal clear and reason dictates the course.

It is quite possible that a certain amount of unreasonable demands will be put forth, with an equivalent juggling of reason in the verbal attempt to combat them. It remains to be seen whether a better or worse pattern of relationships emerges from this shuffle. Surely, the opportunity is present for a better deal, as mind is fortified by the power of intuition, imagination, spiritual integrity and universal sympathy. There should be as many happy alternatives as there are dubious ones, especially for those who are not blinded by appearances or enslaved by conflicting sense impressions.

The Sun moves from 10 degrees Gemini to 8 degrees Cancer, forming seven aspects of importance. A square to Saturn on June 3rd may tax the strength and authority of central powers, and may mean a general lowering of vitality, but this is followed by a trine to Neptune on June 5th to permit nice recuperation. Subtle forces protect and sustain God's children here, but it is nothing that can be readily identified. On the 7th, a sextile to Pluto should introduce another form of cosmic sustainment and inspiration, reflecting perhaps in the efforts and ideals of large groups whose aim is a better world for all. Religious, educational and political leaders may be unusually inspired, while individuals of cosmopolitan temperament may awaken to large ideas and align themselves with a Cause. The collective will of man seems ready to articulate a higher idealism of divine origin, manifesting in a host of ways, chiefly through political organizations, religious groups, archeological discoveries, the printed word, theatrical portrayal of historic events or figures, atomic energy programs, or other scientific developments, for man is in touch with cosimc mind at this time and may be truly inspired to great works. Gains, however, must be measured by a universal yardstick; they are not essentially individual except as the individual may be sustained in fulfill-

ing his role of torch-bearer for humanity, or as an inspirational Voice in the Wilderness.

June Lunation

The New Moon of June 15th occurs without any strong aspects to suggest any special trend, but the focus in Gemini leans toward good humor and lightness of approach to environmental influences.

The Sun changes signs on the 21st, which is the traditional first day of summer, the solar energy now screening itself through the cardinal (active) watery (receptive) sign Cancer. As said before, Cancer is associated with the ideal of family solidarity, national affiliation, the establishment and perpetuation of patterns of emotional security, reflected in the increased rate of marriages, births, home-building, and agriculture, normally associated with this time of year. However, the sentiments of Cancer are not predictable with the creative Uranus occupying this home of the Moon, and as the Sun confers with Uranus on the 27th the unpredictability becomes evident in striking fashion. Of course, there is the possibility of unique developments in housing programs and laws, which will come as a welcome relief to many, but there is also the possibility of some changes that may not be so pleasant, simply because they will come without warning and temporarily upset immediate plans. The collective will may be said now to turn recalcitrant, as the trend becomes definitely individualistic (as outlined earlier) and may repudiate former goals, ties, allegiances. Will, combined with creative impulse, should produce at least a few constructive changes, but when individuals insist upon making their own laws, there is also the danger of dog-eat-dog competition, not to overlook the possibility of a rising tide of accidents and crime due to runaway compulsions, reckless speed, careless disregard for safety, or just a witless negligence. It would be well to combine caution with resourcefulness to meet this trend.

On June 29th, the Sun trines Jupiter but squares Mars, which may intensify all the dangers and risks of the period and yet compensate in some way that proves expansive in the long run. If one chapter closes, another will be in process of starting. No one need harbor fear in

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Pluto is the planet of spiritual regeneration, of primordial power and perception. This square to Jupiter, the Planet of Greater Fortune, indicates the obstacle (square) to Einstein's complete success lies in the mysteries of the spiritual content of the Universe. It foreshadows a failure of the *desired* completion of the mission but not the mission itself. For Dr. Einstein's star mission appears to be to provide the keys which future Aquarian sciences will, according to cyclic destiny, attain. And the reason for Dr. Einstein's failure—if failure it can be called—is the blindness of scientific judgment (Jupiter) to perceive the inseparable content of spirit in all matter. Nevertheless, this Pluto is in an all important trine to the heliocentric position of the Earth in 23 degrees of Virgo. Thus, astrologically, this man's power is dedicated and his soul renounces the fruits of action. But on the more immediate and less wonderous level of accomplishment, for all that complete fulfilment may be denied by the cycle, we find that Pluto trining Mars, gives an all but godlike power of penetration onto the borders of the world of spirit and matter. And as Pluto is also sextile the Sun, we see the soul (Sun) of the man, operating through the mystic sign of Pisces, is reaching out to the higher spiritual powers of Pluto. It is certain that Dr. Einstein "senses" things far beyond his science's present ability to prove.

That this man's destiny was foreshadowed both in science and for the betterment of mankind, is seen in the position of the North Node in Aquarius; which, sextile to Mercury and Saturn, reveals the means by which this destiny is accomplished, i.e., the power of concept (Mercury) and an innate knowledge of universal order and wisdom-experience (Saturn).

We shall next examine the cyclic import in this destiny as it pertains to each of us living and to those still unborn in this pre-Aquarian Age.

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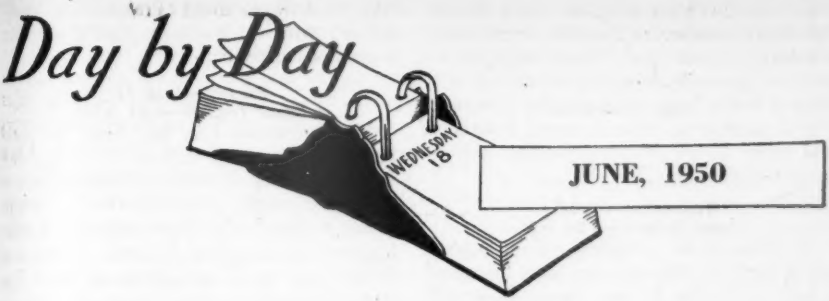

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Editor's Note: The hour of the Moon's passage over the meridian is given as this marks the culmination of the transient emotional rhythm of the day.

There is a relatively slight variation in the time of the Lunar Transit of the meridian for various Standard Time Zones. For all practical purposes the time given herewith, when changed to local Standard Time, may be accepted for any locality in the United States. Time given is Eastern Standard Time.

Thursday—June 1
Lunar Transit—0:36 a.m.

Jupiter ruler—Love of adventure may clash with practical needs and methods until noon. Optimism combined with wanderlust promotes impulsive decisions, ill-timed changes, temperamental outbursts. It is best to find adventure on the job or in looking for a job. Late afternoon seems more productive and harmonious, when new ventures and plans may be worked out. After dark, however, the unanticipated contingency comes into view. Don't be caught off guard.

Friday—June 2
Lunar Transit—1:41 A.M.

Saturn ruler—More than one good sound idea or plan should emerge from this day's effort, particularly in connection with government, business administration, organized groups, security investments, realty turn-over, building and mining operations. Officials may introduce and enforce regulations. Luck may bypass the average workman, as well as the impractical visionary, however; know on which side your bread is buttered. Morning best for important matters.

Saturday—June 3
Lunar Transit—2:42 A.M.

Saturn ruler—A cloud or two hovers over speculative enterprises, financial deals, future contracts. Labor and management problems seem focal, with management slightly more effective than labor. However, a regard for personal security motivates the majority, and despite the controversies and sharp differences of opinion, expedient measures promise immediate results. Children seem to require extra protection, and health needs coddling.

Sunday—June 4
Lunar Transit—3:41 A.M.

Uranus ruler—A wonderful day for social affairs, celebrations, engagements. Seek the limelight. Put your best foot forward and pursue your heart's desire. Sociability and friendliness permeate the atmosphere, and real problems may be put aside or solved. Life offers much to enjoy and be thankful for this day. Festive occasions, including marriage ceremonies, provide nice stimulation for all who attend or plan them.

Monday—June 5
Lunar Transit—4:29 A.M.

Uranus ruler—Inspirational ideas of yesterday carry over and a certain amount of "luck" may be counted upon in launching them. Progressive, liberal-minded, creatively-gifted people may win some honors. Fine new friendships may be established. Good advice, personal favors, salary increases, promotions seem probable. The general mood seems to reflect the virtues of Faith, Hope and Charity. Aspire to new dimensions of life.

Tuesday—June 6
Lunar Transit—5:23 A.M.

Neptune ruler—Responses become more personal today but in a nice, sympathetic manner. Generosity combines with origi-

nality, or perhaps original ideas attract influential sponsors. Medical treatments unusually good, and those engaged in medical research, religious education, and related fields, may be unusually effective. Naval enterprises also favored. Financial and other forms of compensation accompany today's effort.

Wednesday—June 7
Lunar Transit—6:04 A.M.

Neptune ruler—Nightworkers, insomnia sufferers, ulcer patients may have had a bad night, but the day opens favorably enough and should be replete with opportunity for personal satisfaction and gain. Excellent for financial transactions of scope. Realty, building operations, farming and gardening plans, credit extensions and loans have a green light. Marriage plans may also be blueprinted. Judgment seems good and moods tolerant.

Thursday—June 8
Lunar Transit—6:48 A.M.

Neptune ruler—If you get off on the wrong foot today, it may be difficult to get back in step. Little grievances tend to get out of hand. Quarrels at the breakfast table might be used as an excuse for late afternoon capers, or a departure from normal habits. Risk, whimsicality, rebellion flourish where you least suspect, quite possibly a preview of a later trend this month. Don't be surprised if appointments are broken and your schedule upset.

Friday—June 9
Lunar Transit—7:32 A.M.

Mars ruler—This is a day that encourages a new approach to existing problems, yet allows for the possibility of your not being in possession of all the pertinent facts. Despite good intentions, there is room for misunderstanding and misrepresentation, promises being made without any idea as to how they are going to be kept. This applies to mid-afternoon. Evening appears harmonious and gay. Leaders, entertainers, legislators, journalists, teachers, literary workers favored.

Saturday—June 10
Lunar Transit—8:13 A.M.

Mars ruler—Time is running out on many projects, problems, alliances, tasks, and today may see a few slates being wiped clean, either because the solution is sure, or the whole thing impossible. In either case, it is not quite time to start something else. Propositions that arise today may have a short life. Reserve judgment, postpone important decisions, take what the moment offers without committing yourself to it, or trying to exact a promise in return.

Sunday—June 11
Lunar Transit—8:54 A.M.

Venus ruler—Too bad such a good business day has to fall on a Sunday, but then certain businesses do depend upon a holiday clientele. It should be an exceptionally good day for realtors, house-hunters, amusement centers, gardeners. What you have struggled so hard for should be within your grasp. If not, it's very likely a hopeless case, for the gods are handing out deserved rewards, and if you are left out, it means you didn't merit what you wanted.

Monday—June 12
Lunar Transit—9:38 A.M.

Venus ruler—Past effort is still in process of paying off, and new plans may commence to take form—chiefly in your mind. Take time out to enjoy what has been won or earned. Realty remains active with many deals being closed. Try to get as much settled, approved, signed, delivered, as possible, as it may be a long time before a similar degree of constancy will be present to sustain desire and effort.

Tuesday—June 13
Lunar Transit—10:25 A.M.

Venus ruler—Trends begin to change noticeably, probably around noon. It is quite progressive, but not everyone is free to go with it. On such a transitional day, it is wise to conclude what is immediately possible, concentrating upon loose ends, and finishing off a job right. Get set for something new but don't jump. Nevertheless the day permits some nice agreements to be made and the general mood is friendly. Discuss plans and compare notes.

Wednesday—June 14
Lunar Transit—11:14 A.M.

Mercury ruler—Major transitions continue to dominate the mood and circumstances of most people. Today sharpens some of the issues involved (around noon) but also stimulates mental reactions and provides a clue to "right action" (late afternoon and evening). Past cycles have been running out, and today may be more or less final. Changes at a distance are equally as prominent as those near, and it is possible these "foreign" developments dwarf more personal concerns.

Thursday—June 15
Lunar Transit—12:02 P.M.

Mercury ruler—The New Moon generally means a fresh impetus, and since

this one coincides with other major planetary shifts, it may well introduce a completely new cycle of activity, interests, relationships. This is the day many people have been waiting for, as it encourages a re-direction of time and energy, and permits a forward march. Not that dream castles can be built in a day, but here is a chance for a fresh start. People seem talkative and enthusiastic.

Friday—June 16
Lunar Transit—12:54 P.M.

Moon ruler—A day of spectacular developments, ideas, news, opportunities, along with some dangers. The wheels of progress are whirling, and whoever is geared to the pace may be fortune's child. Of course, licentiousness and criminality may also be accelerated. However, the day encourages resourcefulness, experimentation, creative ideas, new techniques, new modes of expression. Don't be afraid to experiment if you have the requisite skill, but be on your toes to meet contingencies.

Saturday—June 17
Lunar Transit—1:47 P.M.

Moon ruler—Some treachery possible in pre-dawn hours, some of it the result of carelessness, such as taking or giving the wrong medicine while half asleep, or leaving valuables around to tempt burglars. Mid-morning turns happier and more satisfying, quite possibly through a gift, settlement, notice of salary increase, declaration of love. Patriotism, family sentiment, emotional loyalty constructively active. Take advantage of this while you may.

Sunday—June 18
Lunar Transit—2:33 P.M.

Sun ruler—A truly wonderful day for weddings and other ceremonials. Today's bride and groom seem blessed indeed. The fairy godmother teams up with Cupid to make it a lover's paradise. Of course, they have their favorites, but even the drabbest couple in dire poverty may feel their world transformed by the beauty of their love as they dance on the silver clouds of fairyland. Yes, this is a day of rich enjoyment in an otherwise uncertain cycle.

Monday—June 19
Lunar Transit—3:22 P.M.

Sun ruler—National or political matters seems to steal the spotlight from romance and marriage, although it might also highlight the love life of some well-known figure. Favoritism, partisanship, some form of snobbery may prevail. But if your perspective is broad enough you'll see where fortune's child also holds large responsibility. Don't let envy or false pride mar your own opportunity. Idealists seem to have a chance to dramatize a point or two.

Tuesday—June 20
Lunar Transit—4:13 P.M.

Sun ruler — Generosity, magnanimity, love and glory continue to march onward —until late afternoon. Spread goodwill, submit offers, ask favors, request a raise or promotion, get interviews over with shortly after lunch. A little later these conditions change as tinsel falls away and people become more skeptical and exacting, and harp on petty flaws.

Wednesday—June 21
Lunar Transit—5:00 P.M.

Mercury ruler—Labor and health problems come to the fore and some of the conditions are aggravated by a sense of fear. Some of the fears may be justified, but it also means shortsightedness that blocks an otherwise possible solution. The best advice for today is to trim down expectations; don't shake your fist at a mountain or kick a boulder, as you'll be making futile gestures. Issues are complicated.

Thursday—June 22
Lunar Transit—5:45 P.M.

Mercury ruler—Another morning when the spotlight is on practical details and the general mood inclined to be petty. However, about noon, issues may yield to arbitration, and health may be improved by proper treatment. Disgruntled wives might find a shopping tour a great psychological lift, providing they can afford it. Impatience rides a little recklessly all this week, and late this evening it may reach a boiling point. Temper and speed are the devil's delight. Better stay home and relax.

Friday—June 23
Lunar Transit—6:04 P.M.

Venus ruler—The gremlins of disaster had a gala night and may still be playing pranks today. Reporters and detectives have plenty to keep them occupied, as accidents and crime seem highlighted. Elopers, kidnapers, illict lovers share the spotlight. Even Casper Milquetoast might kick over the traces and turn defiant. Wise ones will know how to keep out of trouble and even gain under such conditions, but the day is unpredictable, reckless, explosive, risky.

Saturday—June 24
Lunar Transit—7:23 P.M.

Venus ruler—Although the explosive possibilities have probably not exhausted themselves, there is a protective safeguard today that may keep the innocents from danger. Intuition lends a guiding hand over radical impulses, and rashness might become real courage. People seem to be more cooperative, on the whole, though propositions may not hold water. Seek refined entertainment. Don't take yourself or anyone else too seriously.

Sunday—June 25
Lunar Transit—8:15 P.M.

Pluto ruler—The sobering effect of justice may be seen in the attempt to restore order. A rather heavy day for Sunday, though loyalties seem more definite, judgment better, resistance firmer. People are more reliable and sincere than during the past few days. Church sermons appear to be unusually stimulating and religious consciousness strong. Plan a quiet and clear conscience.

Monday—June 26
Lunar Transit—9:11 P.M.

Pluto ruler—Feeling runs strong for or against notions or other people, with no one getting much satisfaction even if on the popular side. For it is one of those days when to be right may lose a friend and to be wrong lose money besides. People may clamor for justice loudly without the vaguest motion of what it means. Perhaps some of us need to reexamine our convictions and understand the cause of resentment.

Tuesday—June 27
Lunar Transit—10:10 P.M.

Jupiter ruler — Brighter moods are promised for today as optimism takes a turn at the helm. Those concerned with promotion, distribution, dissemination, advertising, should find it a day of opportunity. Travel seems encouraged. Cupid has a fresh supply of arrows. Unfamiliar horizons beckon, and today lends courage to those who are impatient to get started. Children and neurotics might need extra watching, as they may not be able to handle this deviate energy too well.

Wednesday—June 28
Lunar Transit—11:38 P.M.

Jupiter ruler—Another day of adventurous possibilities, spectacular disclosures, news, activities. Of course, certain temperaments are better equipped than others to go with such a promotional trend. Although you are encourage to seek independence, it is hoped you allow the other fellow the same rights you seek for yourself. A war of words seems to be waged. Travel and foreign relations not safe near midnight.

Thursday—June 29
Lunar Transit—None

Saturn ruler—This may be the most important day of the month. Certainly it promises unusual developments as the New Moon of the afternoon occurs with a series of other strong planetary aspects, some friendly and expansive, others disagreeable and compulsive. People seem undecided whether to fight for what they want or pay a lavish price for it. Generosity intermingles with rage, and there's no telling which gets the upper hand. Compensatory factors are strongly present, however, and worthwhile enterprises are protected in spite of keen competition.

Friday—June 30
Lunar Transit—0:25 A.M.

Saturn ruler—Uncertainty prevails in big and little things. Yesterday's news remains a topic of wonderment. Mystery surrounds the issues or causes, imagination intrudes to distort facts, good intentions may be misunderstood, and it all promotes a feeling of inadequacy which some hide and some decry. Define your obligations today, realizing that you do not know all the factors involved, and this goes for government officials and business leaders as much as for anyone else.

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contemplating this period in advance, although neither can anyone afford to take too much for granted, nor dare fate by ignoring the warning signals.

On the 30th, the Sun parallels Mercury, an aspect of minor importance in the general scheme, but it may indicate a lining up of central forces and agencies, and conferences from which may eventuate a set of strategic plans to fit the existing situation.

The month closes on a note of excitement and uncertainty. It is under such challenge that people often prove their mettle and accomplish the most, and it is hoped this is true, at least, for you who read these pages.

TOMORROW'S NEWS

WE CAN REASON FROM WHAT WE KNOW

Around the World

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THE month of June looks like it will be a period of considerable stress and anxiety in the United States, although it would be difficult, especially for a non-resident, to be precise as to the nature of these difficulties.

Undoubtedly the passages (or transits) of the major planets are important, whether we are dealing with the nativities of individuals or of nations. I have met astrologers who affected to question the importance of such phenomena, asserting that they had little effect unless strong directions were also in operation. But I question this. It cannot be gainsaid that some of the most strikingly successful astrologers—those whose predictions have been most successful in impressing hard-headed skeptics — have relied very largely upon this class of "signals." This was the case with the late Evangeline Adams, unless I am much mistaken; and also Capt. Louis de Wohl, whose recent articles in *American Astrology* must surely be quite unique in our chronicles, made great use of transits. Indeed, the astrologer is forced to do so if he is under the necessity of dealing with highly speculative birth-times.

But it is not the passing "simple" transit that is usually important; it is double or triple transits, when two or three or more bodies simultaneously affect the same point in the horoscope, that commonly leave their mark. Or when several "simple" transits coincide in time, within a few days. Or, perhaps most of all, when the transiting body is stationary, or near stationary, in the ephemeris.

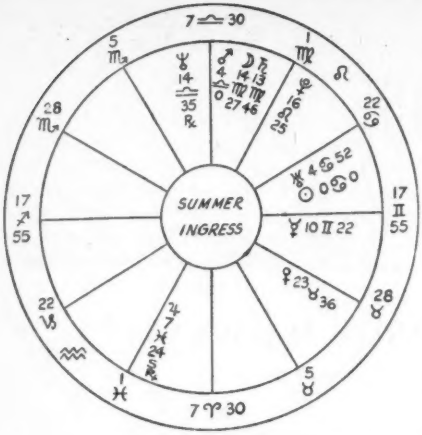
At the end of June Neptune goes stationary in 14:35 Libra and that is disagreeably near the U.S.A. Saturn in 14:50 of the same sign. The actual transit is on the 25th of May and then again at the end of July.

The previous transit was at the beginning of October, 1949, when President Truman signed the Mutual Defense Assistance Act. Also, the "Democratic German Republic" was proclaimed in East Germany.

Uranus is also passing to the opposition of U.S.A. Jupiter, but this does not become exact until early July, when another unpleasant feature presents itself—Mars reaches Neptune in the heavens, *on the U.S.A. Saturn.* It is then (about the middle of July) that the full force of the transit of Neptune over U.S.A. Saturn will be felt, and I regret to say that at this period international affairs will be likely to reach a very critical state indeed. One could hardly be surprised if some sort of mobilization takes place.

These conditions are not rendered any better because the special transit of which we have been speaking (Neptune to U.S.A. Saturn) falls so near the solstice.

Herewith is the solstitial horoscope for Washington. This follows upon a new moon figure (June 15, 1950, 10:45 a.m., L.M.T.), which is not helpful, insofar as the U.S.A. Mars is close to the M.C. in square to the rising degree, with the Lights in square to U.S.A. Neptune.



Summer Ingress, for Washington, D. C., June 21, 1950

SUMMER INGRESS

The disagreeable appearance of this map cannot be denied.

There is certainly comfort in the fact that Neptune, in the 10th with the U.S.A. Saturn, is well aspected. Indeed, this is perhaps the "saving grace."

But there is the very close square of Mars to Uranus. The former is in 4:00 Libra, and Truman's Venus, his ruler, is in 3:59 Cancer! Mars is in the 9th house in the ingress map, and yet within orb of the midheaven, so that government and foreign affairs are closely involved, all affected adversely by the dynamite-forces of Uranus. I believe Americans rather like and expect English writers to understate; but it is not very easy to understate the menacing import of these signals!

Curiously enough, I derive *some* consolation from another "bad" configuration: Moon conjoined with Saturn, also in the 9th, and in square to Mercury. My reason is, that though this is a sign of disappointment, frustration and profound depression, it is *not* violent. It is proverbially said that two blacks don't make a white; but in Astrology something of the kind does sometimes happen, *provided the two "blacks" are of contrary purport.* Thus it may be that a heavy Mars-Uranus threat may be held in check by an equally severe Saturn affliction.

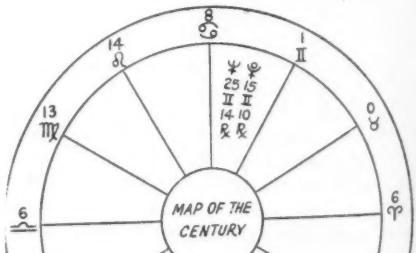
I would now invite readers to consider another chart that seems to be worth more attention than it appears to have received, namely, the Map of the Century.

It may be objected that the "turn of the century" is a purely arbitrary human time-notation and can have no foundation in nature. Well, this is not the place for a discussion of the metaphysical bases of Astrology, though it may be observed that these are probably so profound that their implications may well be beyond the range of present-day cosmological conceptions. I will merely quote the old adage about the "proof of the pudding being in the eating."

The map below is cast for 0 hrs. 0 m., January 1, 1900, and I have chosen to erect it for Berlin. For it seems that this city is the trouble-vortex, so to say, of this century. It was in 1914 and 1939, and it was so at the time of the famous air-lift. It is still the spot where East and West stand face to face, quite literally.

Of course these maps (for the new century) will be almost identical all the world over so far as the *houses* are concerned, for they will all be cast for the time when the sun was at, or close to, the nadir. The planets' places will vary according to the country and the Moon's place may change considerably.

Here then is the chart:



Map of the Twentieth Century, Cast for Berlin

It is a striking figure, with this strong emphasis on the third and ninth houses and signs. Six bodies are in Gemini and Sagittarius, and no less than seven (out of ten) are in the 3rd and 9th houses. *Intercommunication* is the keynote here—radio, automobiles, airplanes—and thereafter what? Interplanetary travel will as-

suredly be attempted. Only half the century has passed, and what has been achieved!

Of course there are some unpleasant oppositions here, but Jupiter, in his own positive sign, is on the cusp of the 3rd, sextile the ruler of the horoscope, who is herself in close trine to the ascendant.

This figure staggers the imagination.

What of its validity? Is the pudding a real one, or only mere fiction of the imagination?

Here are a few notes on the past.

In 1914 Mars was semisquare radical Uranus pretty well exact for the outbreak of war, and in 1915 Sun was conjunction Mars, both inconjunct Neptune.

But it is the regressive, or pre-natal, directions that are most significant. Here are some of the principal ones:

1914 regr. Sun opposition Neptune
regr. Moon over Neptune and opposition Saturn
regr. Mars over radical Moon
1917 regr. Saturn opposition Neptune
1918 regr. Venus conjunction radical Mars

These seem appropriate enough to satisfy the most exacting.

When we come to 1939-1945 the indications are, if possible, even more impressive.

To take the usual post-natal secondaries first, we have, in the autumn of 1939, Moon conjunction Neptune and opposition Saturn, while, during the war-period, Venus, ruler of the map, squares the same two heavy planets—a tremendous strain. But perhaps most significant of all, because slowest, is the opposition of progressed Saturn to radical Moon, indicative not so much of war itself, as of its concomitant privations.

The regressive directions are even more portentous and offer some striking parallels with the 1914-1918 data.

The regressed Sun enters Scorpio in 1939. Mars is conjoined with Uranus in 1944 and so also Venus, these two (Venus-Mars) being themselves conjoined in 1945, just as in 1918 regressive Venus was with radical Mars.

Frankly, I am much impressed by these data. So what of these latter days in the light of the same figure?

There is nothing to compare in respect of severity with the 1914 and 1939 configurations.

Progressed Sun is square radical Jupiter (spring) and the Moon is in Scorpio but makes no serious contacts. About the time that this script is due for publication Mercury is in square to radical Uranus and Venus is semisquare progressed Mars. Around the same period regressive Moon is square radical Jupiter, and in the autumn, by a curious coincidence, the regressed Mercury is conjoined with radical Uranus, being in square to its progressed position.

This seems to point to a critical time, which may (since Mercury and Uranus are prominent) involve the flying services, but obviously there is nothing to indicate another major conflict *here*.

It will therefore be a difficult, anxious and disappointing summer, politically speaking, but there appears to be no reason to expect worse things, unless the ingress figures override everything, which I do not expect to be the case.

At the time of writing Leopold of Belgium has been in the headlines.

This unfortunate monarch was born at Brussels, 3:15 p.m., G.M.T., November 3, 1901, so that his data are:

M.C. 5 Capricorn;
Asc. 12 Aries;
Sun 10:31 Scorpio;
Moon 14:29 Leo;
Mercury 13:04 Scorpio R;
Venus 25:17 Sagittarius;
Mars 14:37 Sagittarius;
Jupiter 9:14 Capricorn;
Saturn 11:46 Capricorn;
Uranus 15:00 Sagittarius;
Neptune 1:15 Cancer R;
Pluto 18 Gemini R.

It will be found that the progressed Sun is just coming to the opposition of radical Neptune, so that he will either not regain his throne, or, if he does, will find it anything but comfortable. Mercury is coming to radical Venus, but that seems a poor counteragent.

As for the nativity itself, Jupiter and Saturn in the midheaven seems to show his varying fortunes. Astrologers often speak of planets being benefic when in their own signs, but a more ancient, and, I believe, a truer tradition has it that this is only when they are in their *positive* signs, the reverse being the case when they are posited in their negative dignities. Saturn in Capricorn is indicative of too much Saturn. Here it has certainly outweighed the debilitated Jupiter, even though he is closer to the angle.

A violent death in a foreign land seems indicated by the presence of the ruler in Sagittarius in the 9th house (or, if the student sticks to Placidus, just passing from 9th to 8th) in close conjunction with Uranus, and both opposed to Pluto. Yet, to date, it was the monarch's spouse who met such a fate in Switzerland, in an automobile crash that gave rise to many rumors, some asserting that the steering-gear had been tampered with by Nazi agents, the intention being that the young king, whose horoscope plainly shows him to be a fighter, should be killed in order to weaken Belgian resistance to German aggression.

Why was this so, in the light of the horoscope?

Venus has got beyond the Mars-Uranus conjunction. She is, however, close to the midpoint Pluto-Neptune, by opposition, and both these bodies are in the 3rd, and one in Gemini, ruling short journeys.

The Moon "mediates" the opposition Mars-Uranus to Pluto, that is to say, it is in sextile to Pluto and in trine to the other two planets. This sort of configuration is commonly said to improve the opposition; I have often maintained that it is more often the opposition that spoils the sextile and trine. This case seems to confirm this view. The oppositions in Leopold's case are very violent indeed and the Moon—the wife—is dragged into the field of their significance. She is also semisquare Neptune.

Venus is close to the star Aculeus, said to cause blindness, and Leopold may indeed have had a "blind spot" at the time of the fatal accident.

Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune are all in parallel of declination.

The nativity appeals to me as that of a gallant man with whose sad life one may well have sympathy.

Another monarch who has recently figured in the news is the South African chief, Seretse Khama. This man has married a London girl and has in consequence been forbidden to enter his tribal territory for five years, apparently because there is thought to be danger of serious dissension amongst the natives on the question of a "mixed marriage." As I have none of the relevant astrological data, this is mentioned only as a quick fulfilment of what has already been said in these articles on the likely outcome of the afflictions to Uranus in Cancer in respect of South Africa's racial problems.

Even as the American Colonies broke away from Britain when Uranus was in Gemini, so this present passage of the same planet through Cancer may sever the rather tenuous links between Britain and the Union of South Africa. There will be heavy strains.

But other regions of the same continent are destined to play a tremendous part in the economic (and perhaps in the strategic) life of the Atlantic Powers. America's place here is clearly indicated by the four bodies in Cancer in her national map.

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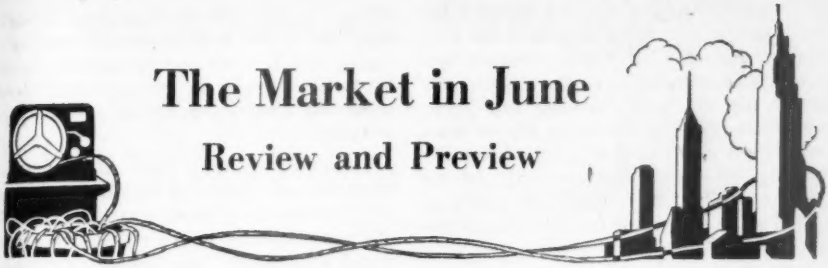

The Market in June

Review and Preview

Paul R. Peak, B.A.

THERE are 10 favorable interplanetary aspects scattered through the month of June 1950. Sun, Venus and Mercury make these aspects to the slower planets Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune and Pluto. These Sun, Venus and Mercury cycles repeat, on the average, every year. Their orb is only a few days in advance, and a few days after the completion of the perfect contact. The dates of these June contacts, measured in right ascension, are the 2nd, 6th, 10th, 13th, 16th, 17th, 24th, 28th, and 30th. Something like a nice sunshiny day, these quick-moving, not-so-powerful aspects are always welcome. In contrast, there are nine maturities of unfavorable aspects on the 1st, 6th, 8th, 21st, 22nd, 25th and 27th. The last week in June brings the harsh, accident - tendency Mars - Uranus square (90 degrees), on the 26th, and the frictional Mars 45 degrees to Pluto on the 29th. These can be longer and more powerful in effect, it is found, because Mars moves more slowly than Sun, Venus and Mercury, repeating its aspects about every two years.

Mars will cross the celestial equator on the 14th. A review of recent years when Mars has been on the equator (0.00 degrees of declination), shows a majority of unfavorable impressions on human psychology, as measured by the great auction sale of our stock markets. There have been sharp reactions for a few days starting around the Mars date. On other occasions there has been an earlier decline that stops around the date. Not so often we find that the date slips by uneventfully. Here it is well to remember that the judgment of the effect of any one aspect or planetary position must be modified by consideration of all the other situations in the sky. In predicting the tides, for navigation purposes, our scientists consider and synthesize more than 20 planetary variables. These same and other variables are playing upon the human beings of our earth, and influencing their optimistic and pessimistic days. These are the tides of human hopes and fears. One can hear and feel these tides in a Board Room, during market hours, as he listens to folks talking, and watches the tape, which shows how folks are thinking.

Mars crossed the equator on January 13th this year. A sharp sell-off started on the 12th. Mars re-crossed the equator in retrograde motion on March 4th. This was near a new top for the 1950 Bull Market. The Dow-Jones Industrials did not quite cover their early February highs (when we had the very favorable Jupiter trine Neptune). The Dow-Jones Rails did close at a new 1950 high on March 4th, $56.60, which has not been bettered up to this writing. From this March 4th date, the averages slanted down for the next few days, then continued the rise. It is well to watch this third time for 1950, as Mars crosses the equator, in direct motion, on the 14th.

The Moon will make its maximum declination South on the 1st and 29th, the opposite maximum North on the 15th. The curve of the averages seems to flow up and down, for the short-range intermediate movements, with these Moon declinations. This is being written after the close of the market, on Saturday, April 8th. The Industrials have closed at $212.55, Rails $56.36, and Utilities $43.25. This marks a new 1950 peak for the In-

dustrials, according to Associated Press, and is the highest since almost 20 years ago, on October 3, 1930. It tops the 1946 Bull Market closing high by just 5¢. Volume for this short Saturday session was reported heavy, 1,090,000 shares, the largest for any Saturday since mid-January. Rails still have some to go, to cross their 1948 and 1946 tops. Utilities are pushing into new high ground, on the average. (This April 10th date was suggested as an important time, in this column for April.)

If the student will compare a graph of the daily averages, with these Moon maximum declination dates, a remarkable index of human market psychology will be visualized. *The Wall Street Journal, The New York Times,* and *The New York Herald Tribune* print these graphs. Moon was maximum North on March 26th last, and Dow-Jones Industrials made a new top on the 25th. Moon was maximum South on the 11th of March. The market came to life and turned rapidly upward from a previous reaction of a few days. It was maximum North on February 26th, and only the least flutter on the Dow-Jones curve, as shown in the *Wall Street Journal* diagram. The market was making "lines" all along here, from the first week in February to around the 11th of March. It was discouraging. The long awaited reaction that had been looked for at this time did not come. For the chartists and technically minded, the "lines" substituted for the reaction, as the market bounced up again. Moon was maximum South on February 12th. This was around the bottom of the slight sell-down from early February. And from then on there is a dramatic timing to this Moon-maximum-declination that is profitable to watch. The 1950 *American Astrology Ephemeris* shows these Moon items for June, on pages 13 and 37.

June 15th brings the new moon of the month, with Saturn in the 1st house of a mundane chart erected for Washington D.C. This is in orb of a square to the Sun and Moon, in the 10th house. These angular aspects can be powerful. We saw the lows of 1949, in mid-June, following a new Moon in late May which was square an angular Saturn. Again it is well to recall that no one item governs the whole picture, but a synthesis of the total. So much depends on the technical situation, and current events as the days roll by. In contrast, the Summer Solstice, as the Sun enters Cancer on June 21st, shows the inflationary Mars-Neptune conqunction at the midheaven of the Washington chart. Previous appearances similar to this have been noted at the times of inflationary moves on the part of the government.

Commodities and their price fluctuations are not found to follow the day-to-day curve of the stock market averages. Each commodity curve reflects the combined knowledge, and wisdom, the hopes and fears of the thousands who take part in this buying and selling. There are more variables in the commodity situation that do not appear so quickly in the security market. Reports of a rain in the wheat or corn belt can depress the price if the crop is already planted, and serve to raise it, if the rain is coming at the wrong time, to delay the farmers in seeding. Many world-wide variables enter into commodity prices. We are seeing the post-war pattern that followed all other great wars. Commodities reached unusual high. More recently a general decline has brought these down. The decline is slowed temporarily, with reports on the weather, and inflationary tendencies, and government price supports. The threat of a renewed dust bowl in the mid-West is watched anxiously. Farmers' income is reported falling off. Department store sales are slowing down. The final Easter buying was reported impressive, but not up to the hoped-for last minute rush which merchants had expected. This reduction is more on soft goods, and clothing. The building boom of 1950 is probably in its last strength. This same applies to the automobile boom. Fortunately, recent reports show a temporary improvement in total employment. But, when one considers the shape of the planetary movements and positions in the next few weeks to months, it may be felt that this June 1950 is part of "the last days of grace." The final major-planet favorable date for the year comes around July 31st, as Jupiter trines Uranus the second time. The first Jupiter-Uranus trine of 1950 is due for the exact contact by right ascension on April 10th, two days after this writing. We are now seeing the new highs and increased volume in stock averages, as this date approaches.

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Your Marriage Problem

Rose Campbell Starr

The problems that appear herein are chosen for their general interest. To receive consideration for publication, the writer's full name and address must be given, although in no instance will this information be published or divulged. The day, month and year of birth, also the birth place, and hour when known, are required.

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The Birth of a Child

My Dear Miss Starr:

I have been purchasing your American Astrology *for several years and enjoy every one. I have always wanted to write to you about my life's longing and most desirable wish, "Children." I can't begin to tell you how much through all these years my heart has simply ached for a baby of my very own! I love every baby I see and keep all my friends' children any hour, day or night, they will let me. Oh, I just hope so much, you realize how much, I want a baby of my own!*

I was born Nov. 6, 1913, at 12 midnight, I believe, 33 N., 97 W. That is all I can tell you about my birth. I am married to a man who was born Sept. 19, 1917, in this state, sometime at late night. We dearly love each other and he is so good to me and I love him so very much.

We have been married nearly four years and both of us desire a child of our own so awfully much! I have had two operations during this time, hoping to have a child afterward, as doctors said I would. I could adjust myself if they said I couldn't have one; but everyone I've ever gone to said I could. I wouldn't want to attempt to adopt one if I knew I could someday have one of our very own.

We have gone to so many doctors and did everything we knew of, to have a child. But lately we both went to a different one than I had been to, and the doctor found us both at fault and we are both taking treatments from this doctor.

During the last few years I have come in contact with so many couples who have our same problem. My heart aches for all of them. Until I married my husband, I had never been happy in my life, and suffered untold heartache and oh, such unhappiness. All I know of my parents' birth is my mother was born Sept. 26, 1895 and my father was born June 3, 1874, both in Texas. However, they divorced when I was three years of age and never remarried. I never felt wanted in my life until I met my husband! Oh, please help me and I pray you will be blessed for all the good work you have done and are still doing.

One Who Longs to be a Mother.

ANSWER: In order to determine who is "at fault" that no children are forthcoming in a marriage, the hour of birth of both parties must be known and you do not give the hour of your husband's birth, merely stating that he was born "sometime at late night." Your own chart, erected for midnight of Nov. 6, or 0:00 hours of Nov. 7, 1913, places Sagittarius on the cusp of your fifth house of children, with Jupiter the ruler of this department; this planet is in Capricorn in your sixth house. The fertile sign Pisces, ruled by Neptune and co-ruled by Jupiter, is on your eighth house cusp, and your North Node is in Pisces in your eighth. From these indications I must agree with the doctors, and say the evidences are that you can become a mother. This is especially true now that your progressed Sun has completed an opposition to your Sa-

turn, and, being your own ruler, is entering or in your fifth house of children—the exact degree of your fifth house being shown by the *exact* hour of your birth. You do not seem sure of the exact time, but I assume it to be around midnight.

Your progressed Venus is on your Mercury, exact next year, but this year your progressed Moon is on your Saturn, the planet that disposes of Jupiter, ruler of your fifth house of children. In another year your desire may well be realized, and you may become a mother. Your husband has Saturn in Leo, with Mars and Neptune also in this sign, which rules children. Saturn could delay their birth, but does not deny him offspring. And his natal Moon conjunct Venus in Scorpio, a fertile sign, is considered favorable. However, as stated, his exact hour of birth needs to be known of a certainty, to show what sign and planets, if any, are in his fifth house.

Should any who are interested wish to know a very simple rule to follow in determining the possibility of the time when conception is more apt to occur, the usual time is when the rulers of the fifth house of both parents are stimulated by a progression; either by an important planet entering the fifth, or often when the ruler of the ascendant enters the fifth (as in your case); or when the ruler of the fifth meets the ruler of the ascendant. However, inasmuch as it takes two to produce progeny, the other parent's chart must also show prolific indications, and in your case, not knowing your husband's hour of birth, we do not know what planet rules your husband's fifth house of offspring.

This is too lengthy a subject to be discussed in the limited space of this department. An astrologer friend of mine has recently written up a lengthy treatise on this subject, having made a serious study of it. You have three water, or so-called fertile planets—Mars, Neptune and your Sun—also your North Node, the Point of Integration, is in water, and the natural sign of children, Leo, is rising, therefore I believe that life will grant your desire—to give birth to a child of your own. And may you find fulfilment and happiness.

A Career and Marriage

Dear Miss Starr:

I have so many avenues opening up, including a possibility of marriage, that I am enclosing my chart and tell me just what you think is best for me at this time. Marriage or the continuation of my career? My birthday is May 15, 1890, late Scorpio rising as you will note by my enclosed chart.

Interested Taurus.

ANSWER: It appears evident that you will continue on in your professional life and might even combine marriage with a career. This is shown by Venus, the ruler of your seventh house of marriage, progressed to a conjunction with your Saturn in Leo in your tenth house. The exact conjunction of your progressed Venus to natal Saturn is now past, but your Venus has yet to conjoin your progressed Saturn. I believe you are too serious and ambitious, may we say, to give up professional activities altogether. With your Jupiter in Aquarius, and Uranus ruling your fourth house, also Mars in Sagittarius in your fifth, you will always seek the new, and new experiences are your very lifeblood. You would no doubt be bored with the ordinary domestic life of a housewife. However, now that you are coming under a progressed New Moon in Cancer, you will probably have a home of your own, or find a more satisfactory domestic life than you have in the past. But, as stated, you may combine this with a career, or love and marriage with a career as well. With Sun, Neptune, Pluto, Mercury and Venus all in your seventh house, your seventh house relationships are very important factors to your success. You are probably more successful in partnership than when you're strictly on your own, and this year should indeed see important developments coming your way. Good luck!

A Saturnine Problem

Dear Miss Starr:

Everytime I read American Astrology *I usually see at least one letter from a Geminian in difficulties. I am no exception, and I wonder if you can tell me why. I was born June 7, 1917, at 4 P.M., 29 N., 95 W. My mother died two months after my birth.*

I have never married, although I have been in love with someone who was married for the past several years. Since my fother's death in 1942 until last January I supported my aunt, his sister. Last year, following a second semi-nervous breakdown, I gathered courage to ask another aunt to accept the care of this relative and

went to live with a college friend of mine. This past December I felt sufficiently strong to make a complete break with the past, and came to New York to live. Since security has always been important to me, it took a certain amount of courage to leave a good, if dull job, a city where I had lived for so long, and this rather lengthy and fruitless infatuation.

I have always doubted that I should or would marry. I think this stems from a very early and strong sense of rejection on the part of my father, who seemed to hold me accountable for the cause of my mother's death. I have felt guilty and unworthy and unlovable. And I must admit I was never interested in anyone who professed to love me, but seem to fix my affections on those who do not and cannot love me, or where the situation is such that there can be no question of marriage.

Incidentally, my mother was a Geminian, too, born June 13, 1891. My father was born February 24, 1886.

As another writer in your column said, "The years are passing too swiftly." I have no goal for my life, I do not know what I want anymore. February was such a difficult, lonely and trying month that I could not resist writing you.

Gemini.

ANSWER: The feelings you express are in keeping with your eighth house Sun and Venus in Gemini, also Pluto and South Node in Cancer, and your Saturn also in Cancer but in your ninth house, and your Cancer planets to be squared by your progressed Moon in Aries in your sixth house during the next two-year cycle. The despondent note is attributable mostly to Saturn, opposed widely by your natal Moon in Capricorn at your birth. Transiting Pluto, ruler of your Ascendant, is in Leo conjunct your Saturn, placing unusual accent upon Saturnian aspects, among which are duty, concern over the past, your parents, et cetera. It is for this reason that you unconsciously seek ties that keep you bound to the past and from fulfilling your true feminine destiny, in forming contacts with a man eligible for marriage, or who is good "husband material."

However, your true marriage time is ahead, and this will be when your progressed Moon enters Taurus, your seventh house of partnerships, wherein is posited your Mercury, Mars and Jupiter. Around or shortly following your 35th year you should be ready to marry, and should attract someone quite suitable at that period of your life. Uranus's square to your Taurus seventh house group may always add the unforeseen factor, and you may be obliged to compromise more than usual in order to adjust yourself to the marriage state. Yours will probably be no ordinary marriage. Write us again, in another two years. In the meantime, attention to work or service should be helpful, in order to derive the most from the present, out of which the future must grow. If you do the best you can today, the future will automatically take care of itself.

Cancer Marriages

Dear R. C. Starr:

Recently I read an article that has left me somewhat worried and I am hoping you can give me a little advice. In this article I am referring to it said people born under my sign often marry many times. Is this true? Until this time I was sure I was careful of any and all male companions, but after reading this article I want to know if I will come against the impulse to "rush" into anything, and will my plans I have been making now be carried out or will something interfere?

I was born between 8 and 9 p.m., July 7, 1927, and will appreciate any light you would put on my problem. Thank you.

Perplexed Cancer.

ANSWER: Inasmuch as you did not state what your plans were, it is not possible to answer your question relative to whether or not they will be apt to come to fruition. If they concern marriage, it is obvious by the position of your progressed Moon on your Venus, in your seventh house, that you have been entertaining thoughts of marriage. The square to your natal Saturn in Sagittarius no doubt engendered an element of doubt, delay or difficulty, if not actual disappointment, but in a mutable sign this need not deny marriage this year—only present obstacles and delays.

As for more than one marriage, the answer to that is, one thing at a time. Many signs marry more than once—Cancer has no monopoly on plural unions. It must be said that many natives of Cancer marry more than once; but I have known Cancerians to marry young and stay married to one person all their lives. One Cancerian who has been married only once and is still married is the Duke

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CHILDREN'S Department

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A Study of Mother and Daughter

By Stella Ann Morgan

THE Comparison Chart is a Blue Print of the blending of two personalities that can be followed by the Mother (or guardian) as her basic system of child guidance. In this series of studies regarding the relationship between parent and child we hope to point out the value of the astrological approach in correct training methods. Strange as it may seem, most parents do not understand their children, and children are unable to understand their parents, for they do not have anything to base their knowledge on except the experiences they are going through.

This problem is a situation in most families, and a direct challenge to the parent that should be worked out constructively through proper encouragement; not criticism, fault-finding, or blame. The incentive should be to develop faith and confidence from the child. This is possible through knowledge gained of the child's innate qualities and natural tendencies, his motives in life and strong urges, as gathered from his horoscope. He was born with a disposition that should be molded—not curbed or cramped. To use efforts that tend to change him and encourage qualities he does not possess will only make him confused, helpless and a failure.

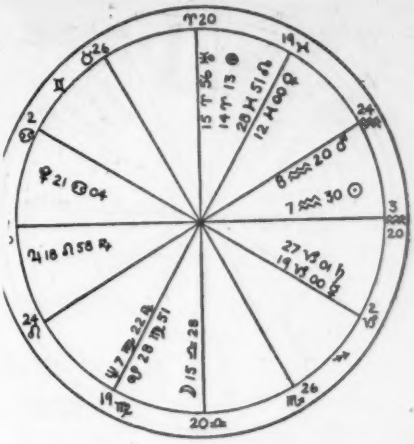
Some children inherit traits and qualities from both parents, others mostly from one or the other, while some children do not seem to inherit from either parent. These points can be found in the child's horoscope, and studied.

The charts given (see next page) of a mother and daughter are a contrast from the two charts given last month, for these two horoscopes are reversed in modes of activity. The Oriental-Occidental division shows the mother has more planets on the Easter Quadrant of the chart, indicating that she gains more knowledge through her experiences in life, by the trial and error method, than the daughter, who has more planets on the Western Quadrant, which causes her to give attention to other people. The personalities and characters of both people are individualistic and strong, with interests totally different; yet there is a planetary relationship.

The Sign of Scorpio rising on the Mother's horoscope indicates strong likes and dislikes which are apt to develop into a vindictive motive that brings unhappy results. She has an ardent love nature that is somewhat possessive (Venus, Mars and Ascendant in Scorpio). There is a capacity for work, but it is utilized as a means to an end rather than love of the work itself. She is proud, courageous and resourceful in her intense feelings and sufferings.

The Sign of Leo rising on the daughter's chart indicates a decided urge to make others work rather than work herself. She is strong willed and inclined to hold strong opinions; is masterful and at times inclined to be arrogant. There is a love of display and pride in her demeanor. (Jupiter in Leo; Sun and Mars strong

MOTHER
Born Oct. 1, 1901, 9:15 A.M.
87 W—41 N.



DAUGHTER
Born Jan. 28, 1932, 5:09 P.M.
94 W—39 N.

in her chart.) Her love nature is idealistic and mystic.

These two people are definitely fixed in their natures. If the mother is alert to the situation she will become aware of the fact that her emotional feelings (planets and rising Sign in Water Triplicity) only cause her child to respond with a fiery and tempestuous temper (Leo, fire Sign rising, and planets in the Fire Triplicity).

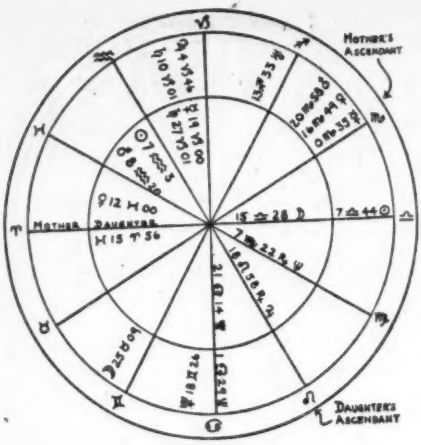
The mother will control the "steaming" contacts that are brought about by the fire and water influences, and give attention to the hidden quality in her child that must be obvious, and that is—a secret longing for love. (Venus exalted in Pisces; Psychic Trinity and Quincunx aspects of Jupiter and Mercury.) This type love is one of sacrifice. It can be developed to reach a high degree of expression which will give the tendency to help those who are in need and in poor circumstances. The method the mother must use should be diplomatic and tactful, otherwise the child becomes whimsical and indulges in extreme passions that are ungovernable.

The indication that gives accent to the above natal tendencies is found in the Trinity in the Western Quadrant which is above the Earth. The configuration shows her urge to understand people, for this is the Trinity of Service. Planets above the Earth indicate prominence and an incentive to develop along the lines of the Finer Arts and higher education. There is a spiritual tendency to this Quadrant.

The mother has more influence over her daughter than has the father, which is indicated by the planets of Venus and Saturn in feminine signs (in the daughter's chart). At the present time this fact is proven in their lives. If these two planets had been found in masculine signs, the father would have more influence over her. Again, we see the daughter inherits a character principally from the paternal line; both luminaries are in masculine signs.

The Moon in the sign of Libra is a signal for the mother to be an inspiration for her daughter, that she may feel proud and admire her. Otherwise, regardless of the mother's devotion, the daughter will turn to another woman who possesses more charm and dignity. There seems to be a general rule in astrology that when the child has a Moon placed in any sign, the mother reflects that special sign. In this case the mother's Sun is in Libra.

In the Comparison Chart, the mother's planets are placed in the outer wheel, the daughter's in the inner wheel. Aries 0 degrees is always taken as the starting point on these Comparison Charts and appears on the Eastern Horizon. The individual Horoscopic Ascendant and Midheaven therefore are adjusted to the signs and houses, so the actual Ascendant and



COMPARISON CHART

Mid-heaven may appear at any point on the circle.

In turning the chart to place the Sign of Leo on the Ascendant, we find the mother's planets (Mars, Venus and Mercury) fall in the fourth house, the house that has rule over the home. The wise student of astrology will see the strife in the home caused by the combination of personality clashes. The mother's Moon falls in the tenth house of the daughter's map, indicating the child's urge to have her mother acquire a position of high social standing. The valuable aspect of the Mother's Moon in trine to the daughter's Saturn lends a helping hand in holding the faith the child has for her mother.

In turning the chart around to the place of Scorpio, the mother's rising Sign, the Ascending Sign of Leo of the daughter's chart is on the Mid-heaven. Jupiter falls in this position, indicating the mother will assist the daughter in finding the proper social scale, business possibilities, or it is possible the daughter sets her own pattern for social contacts and a standard according to the mother's position. At least, there is a link between the two through this combination.

Nevertheless, there is difficulty in the home environment, as indicated by the daughter's planets, Mars and Sun, falling in the fourth house of the mother's map. The child was anything but calm as a little girl, delighting in banging doors and making as much loud noise as she could — all very distracting for the mother. This disturbance was not demonstrated in other homes for she was a perfect angel when at her grandmother's.

At the present time the daughter is in a university which she entered last year at the age of fifteen, and she passes herself off as eighteen years old. Her strong determination to rise in life was her incentive. She is so independent under this assumed age pattern, she is quite out from under her parents' protection and carries on her own life in her own way. Unconfidential and silent as to her own affairs, she is arrogant and bold in other matters.

The mother, recognizing this attitude in her daughter, is playing a waiting game, standing by and ready to assist when the child awakens to womanhood and needs her. Her determination to carry out her Child Guidance Program will hold command of the situation. She may make many mistakes but in the meantime will develop qualities of her higher nature. Students in astrology will observe this tendency through the Fixed Cross and planets, as shown in her horoscope.

CHILDRENS' DEPARTMENT

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MARRIAGE PROBLEMS

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of Windsor. Calvin Coolidge was also a Cancer native. In addition, we could cite many private cases of Cancerians who remained married to one mate.

According to the hour of birth you give, Leo, a fixed sign, is on your seventh house cusp (of marriage and relationships with other people), and your Mars and Neptune in Leo are placed there, also your Venus in early Virgo. Your progressed Moon or present state of consciousness is still in your seventh house, in the sign Virgo, and it seems obvious that you have already met someone you contemplate marrying. By the time this is published, the obstacles aforementioned should be a thing of the past, and the issue settled one way or another. So best of luck, and happy birthday!

By GEORGE J. McCORMACK F.A.F.A.

ASTRO-METEOROLOGY

A common belief among farmers that changes of weather can be interpreted according to the time of day of the Moon's phases is based upon a formula used in many old almanacs and best known as *Herschel's Weather Table.* This table, according to Prof. P. E. Chase in his Elements of Meteorology (1884), is said to be the result of many years of actual observations and representing the action of the Moon upon regular daily barometric tides. A transcript of the table is presented as a matter of interest.

TIME OF CHANGE	SUMMER	WINTER
Midnight to 2 a.m.	Fair	Frost, unless wind S or S.W.
2 a.m. to 4 a.m.	Cold and showery	Snow and stormy
4 a.m. to 6 a.m.	Rain	Rain
6 a.m. to 8 a.m.	Wind and rain	Stormy
8 a.m. to 10 a.m.	Changeable	Cold rain if wind west; snow if wind from the east.
10 a.m. to noon	Frequent showers	Cold and high wind
noon to 2 p.m.	Very rainy	Snow and rain
2 p.m. to 4 p.m.	Changeable	Fair and mild
4 p.m. to 6 p.m.	Fair	Fair
6 p.m. to 8 p.m.	Fair, if wind N.W.	Fair and frosty if wind N.E. or north
8 p.m. to 10 p.m.	Rainy, if wind south or southwest	Rain or snow if wind south or southwest
10 p.m. to midnight	Fair	Fair and frosty

The table, as may be noted, is based upon twelve two-hour divisions of the 24-hour period. Thus, if the new Moon, first quarter, full Moon or last quarter occur within any of the two-hour periods specified, it is presumed that changes of weather will follow as indicated.

First of all, this table makes no provision for spring and autumn, for the Moon's declination, perigee, equatorial transit and other phenomena. The Moon alone does not regulate changing barometric pressure and is ever dependent upon attendant celestial phenomena. Numerous other factors including cyclic, seasonal and ephemeral planetary phenomena must also be duly considered. The Moon functions principally as a trigger impulse and timing factor.

As a simple experiment, let us consider the first quarter of the Moon which takes place on June 23rd at 0 hrs. 12 mins. A.M., Eastern Standard Time. This falls within the first two hour period between midnight and 2:00 a.m. The table under "Summer" indicates that fair weather should follow. However, at the Summer Solstice, on June 21, 6:37 p.m., E.S.T., Mars, in Libra 4:00, is close to the upper meridian and applying to a 90 degree aspect with Uranus in Cancer 4° 51′. This aspect will reach perfection on the 24th. Meanwhile the Moon forms a conjunction with Mars and square with

Uranus in June 23rd and thus prematurely "sparks" this aspect. Mars represents the calorific heat element in the south while Uranus is indicative of the *dominating* descending, cold dry air masses from higher altitudes. The resulting *acute* agitation of the elements, central at Long. 79° West and moving eastward explain why the atmospheric disturbances reach scattered violent intensity reflected in sharp winds and electrical phenomena in eastern lowlands on June 23rd, while cooler temperatures invade northern areas and develop downslope. Storms of this type frequently catch weathermen with their isobars down. Meanwhile, Mercury square Saturn over the Southeastern states will be building up low barometric pressure in that area to feed this storm moving eastward along Atlantic coastal areas.

It may be noteworthy to mention that the severe wind storms during the last week of March reached maximum intensity over the Midwest. During the last week of June these atmospheric disturbances indicate increasing intensity eastward. All mountain areas may likewise expect scattered windstorms followed by lower ranges of temperatures during the period to the 27th. Coldest temperatures this summer should manifest over western Europe interiors, with maximum at Long. 12 degrees East, and highest barometric pressure June 27th-28th.

It may be pertinent to explain some of the basic elements of astro-meteorology so that readers may understand some of the principles before we proceed with later discussions of various combinations. These interpretations are necessarily generalized for elementary presentation and, dependent upon other astronomical considerations, are subject to modification as we propose to explain in detail later in this series.

GENERAL INFLUENCE OF PLANETS WHEN IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SUN, WHEN STATIONARY IN RIGHT ASCENSION, OR ON THE CELESTIAL EQUATOR OR IN THE NORTH TROPIC

♆ Neptune normally conduces to lower barometer, variable extremes, excessive humidity, static, hazes, night fogs. Scattered, though intense "lows." Warm, moist air masses. More effective in lowlands and along waterways.

	SPRING	SUMMER	AUTUMN	WINTER
NEPTUNE	Misty and mild. Night fogs. Variable. Showery	Sultry, warm. Hazy. Scattered showers often heavy	Lower barometer. Cloudy, mild. Showers at night.	Damp and foggy. Smoke fogs. Thaws. Low ceiling. Unsettled.

♅ Uranus is indicative of *high* barometric pressure, *descending* cold air masses with clockwise circulation, affecting inland elevations first and progressing downslope. Northwest winds. Increased wind velocity. Gusty. Rapid action. Sudden frosts, cold snaps.

	SPRING	SUMMER	AUTUMN	WINTER
URANUS	Overcast, cold and blustery. Chilly drizzles. Frosts, snow flurries in highlands.	Winds shifting to N.W. Storms originate inland, then downslope. Temperature falls.	Gusty. Chilly Bleak skies. Cold rain. Clearing. Frosts.	Windy and stormy. Fresh to strong N.W. winds. Cold wave follows.

♄ Saturn's signature is low barometric pressure with counter-clockwise circulation over wide areas. Warmer before storm. Cold wave follows. Slow but decisive. General cloudiness is primary feature. Precipitation more prolonged. Prevalent easterlies. Mitigates heat in summer.

	SPRING	SUMMER	AUTUMN	WINTER
SATURN	Increasing cloudiness. Warmer in east. Rain, then colder.	Overcast. Humid. Rain, then cooler.	Easterlies. Low clouds. Rain. Colder.	Increasing cloudiness. Heavy rain or snow. Cold wave follows.
	(These storms are lasting)			

♃ Under Jupiter, the temperature normally rises at all seasons when the Sun is at a 60 degree angle. Northerly winds, moderate, with temperate weather. *Usually clears the atmosphere.* Moderatly high pressure. When combined with Mars, heat and thunder even in winter months as in February, 1951.

	SPRING	SUMMER	AUTUMN	WINTER
JUPITER	Moderately breezy and fair.	Heat. Thunderstorms in afternoon or evening. Fresher air.	Warm. Thunderstorms or showers in south. Clearing and cooler.	Moderate temperature. Storms inland. Clearing.

♂ Mars is energetic and acute in action. Normally dry, hot and sharp, especially when in northern declinations. Prevailing westerlies. Induces most droughts. Hottest when forming conflicting angles with Saturn, Uranus or Mercury, it is inflammatory and leaves its mark. With Venus, ever rain. With Jupiter heat dryness and thunder. With Neptune, wind squalls and seismic phenomena. In water signs, perturbs the atmosphere in lowlands. Position and aspects are important. On the equator, usually excites windy storms. Should account for droughts in parts of the United States during summer of 1951. Every fifteen years when this planet, at perigee, approaches within 34,000,000 miles of the earth, the fire insurance companies lose money. (8 x 1.88 years).

	SPRING	SUMMER	AUTUMN	WINTER
MARS	Dry air. Moderate temperature. Often heat in coastal areas	Heat waves. Scattered thunderstorms.	Rising temperatures. Acute storm in south.	Warmer. Changes to unsettled and windy.
		(Positions in the celestial equator usually disturb the atmosphere in lowlands)		

♀ Venus, mildest in effects, is related to moderately low barometric pressure, humidity and prevailing southerlies. Seldom productive of wind velocity, except when combined with Saturn or Uranus. This planet is the rain and snow producer *par excellence* and is sloppiest when occupying the sign Scorpio. Increases flood hazards when forming negative angles with Neptune or Saturn. Normally temperatures increase downslope to the coasts, and humidity increases. Venus with the Sun, Mars, Saturn or Neptune or when in the celestial equator, conduces to rainy weather. With Uranus, cold drizzles to freezing rains. Where seasonal temperatures are at 32 degrees, Venus aspects pile up snow. The 60 degree aspect with Uranus usually brings subnormal temperatures to the higher interiors. Venus in the lower meridian at a Winter Solstice is the skier's delight, and the highway commission's grief.

	SPRING	SUMMER	AUTUMN	WINTER
VENUS	Excessive humidity. Prevailing south winds. Showery inland. Warmer in south. Cooler as winds veer to N. W. (Venus in Aries brings the April showers.)	In No. Tropic, warm and sultry Normally, warm humid weather. No wind. Pleasant showers. Continued warm.	South winds. Warmer. Showers interior. Downslope, then cooler.	Mild temperatures. Prevailing south wind. Snow inland. Rain or snow south, then colder.

☿ The key-note of Mercury, one of the electrical planets, is wind. Alone neutral, this planet reflects the quality of planets to which it forms aspects. Normally indicates high barometric pressure. When with Mars, sharp cutting winds. In conjunction with Uranus or with the Sun, during winter months, Mercury induces strongest wind pressure and contributes to the intensity of blizzards, to sleet storms in winter and hail storms in warmer seasons. Lower temperatures invariably follow Mercury's action.

	SPRING	SUMMER	AUTUMN	WINTER
MERCURY	Cloudy, windy, and variable. Showery, followed by colder.	Breezy, variable, scattered showers and cooler.	Rainy, windy and colder.	Stormy. Windy. Rain or snow. Colder.

The planet Pluto was discovered only twenty years ago. While there is reason to believe that effects weatherwise are similar to those of Mars with considerably greater intensity, our present findings are not yet considered conclusive. Experimental studies are being conducted in this connection and statistical results may be submitted later in this series.

The Moon's perigee is now falling in the south declinations and is now located in the latter degrees of Scorpio. During the next two years, as the perigee position advances toward the point of the Moon's maximum declination, the effects on atmospheric phenomena should be more marked in the southern hemisphere when the Moon transits that point each month. We may have something to say next month about the reversals of certain principles as applied to the southern hemisphere.

June Weather

Spotty weather is characterized during June. Predominating low barometric pressure in the Midwest during the first two weeks will be conducive to more frequent showers eastward and with increased activity to the Appalachians during the second week of June. Meanwhile, rather high temperature ranges are foreseen during the first week in the Ohio Valley and southeastward to the coastal lowlands. Highest temperatures of the month are indicated east of the Appalachians during the second week of June, to include interiors. Cooler air masses

Phenomena, June 1950

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6			☍♃1248
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8			☌♂0713 □♅1755 Equator 1118
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12		♀120°♄	□♀0712
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will dominate in the northern Rockies. Low pressure areas advancing eastward from the Mississippi Valley will be preceded by rising temperatures increasing toward the coasts. As the warmer temperatures develop there is a relative slowing down of weather movements eastward and storms are more scattered than during the cold seasons.

The full Moon on May 31st activates the Sun-Saturn square which depresses the barometer and accounts for persistent cloudiness and storm activity throughout the Central States as the month opens. Venus sextile Uranus meanwhile induces cold, dry air masses over the northern elevations and in mountain regions, with downslope winds which touch off atmospheric disturbances through the lowlands to the coasts, followed by declining temperatures and clearing weather accompanying the northwest winds. Temperatures warm up eastward from June 6th-8th as showery weather shifts to higher inlands eastward. Mean average precipitation should be heavier of the month from the 11th to the 24th. With the calorific Mars element in dominion on the Atlantic coast, diminishing precipitation or scattering of lows eastward is accounted for. This also explains the higher frequency of thunderstorms or windsqualls in the areas of higher temperatures eastward during the second week when Mars is on the celestial equator and in line to that area as determined from the soli-lunar charts. During these first two weeks prevalent easterlies being drawn into the counter-clockwise weather patterns dominating the Mississippi Valley and upper plains, with attendant cloudiness, will be one of the features.

The persistent high pressure areas that blanketed moisture from the winter wheat belt during the past fall and winter have contributed in some measure to recent dust storms in the Texas Panhandle. We are reminded that the present period marks a 19 year cycle from the early 30's when droughts and dust storms were affecting the lower plains. However, the spring and summer droughts of the past two years are not indicated in our charts *this* year. The summer of 1951 may be of vital importance to the United States, as one of the most anomalous summers since 1927.

During the third week of June, with Venus in line to the southern plains, there should be more fruitful moisture distribution, with 16th-17th, and 20th-21st as specific dates when low pressure areas should be traversing the southern plains. Cooler temperatures inland will be accompanying and following these storms eastward. Over the east Gulf states to include northward through Tennessee and Kentucky wind and hail storms may be characterized in scattered storms on 21st-22nd.

The last week of June, with Mercury on the meridian at 98° W. intensifies wind storms in the lowlands and scattering through the valleys eastward. With the transition of the season and occultations of both Saturn and Mars, together with Mars square Uranus, these disturbances may be expected to develop maximum intensity from Pennsylvania eastward. With cold air masses from higher interiors clashing with warm moist air masses from coastal lowlands, scattered storms of intensity will also dominate over the Appalachians. Mars-Uranus inclines to wind and electrical disturbances, particularly when high temperatures prevail. With Jupiter and Neptune both stationary in right ascension and the Sun and Uranus forming a conjunction, this last week of June marks a very disturbing period weatherwise. The sudden decline of temperatures over the eastern interiors immediately following storms on the 23rd-24th will occasion some surprise and result in a general clearing of the atmosphere with prevalent northwest winds 27th-28th.

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June, 1950

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Your Garden

A SCIENTIFIC GUIDE FOP FARMING, PLANTING, FISHING, ETC.

By CHARLES R. HOOK

THIS letter from Alabama calls for more garden dates on which to do farming tasks.

Dear Mr. Hook:

In your article "Your Garden" published in American Astrology Magazine, will you please include the right days to fertilize flowers, bulbs, flowering shrubs and fruit trees, especially pecans. Also days for spraying, which is so important to us of the South.

My father always fertilized his garden by the Moon in the right sign, with wonderful success. Even garden clubs sought his information and since his passing I'm failing miserably in my attempts.

I would especially like to know the best days of March and April.

Thanking you for your help, I am
Yours truly,
Mrs. F. C. C.
Spring Hill, Alabama

In answer to this letter we will include this important information in our articles.

This article is written as of clock time, so to be sure to do your task by Luna allow the start of the task at least thirty minutes later and finish thirty minutes to one hour before the time is up.

If daylight savings time is used in your locality, start an hour later and you can work an hour longer.

Planting Dates

For the benefit of our new readers, we repeat that crops that produce their yield above the soil and grow from a root formation, similar to beans, peas, lettuce, corn, oats, sweetpeas and marigolds, should be planted when the Moon is New or in the First Quarter.

Crops that produce their yield in the soil are similar to and grow from a bulb formation, such as potato, beet, carrot, turnip, tulip and gladiolus, should be planted when the Moon is Full or in the Last Quarter.

Plant in the Last Quarter only if necessary, as it is not considered a good time for planting.

Never plant when the soil is bone dry if you wish to Lunar plant. Moisture must start germination at planting time.

Time given is *Eastern Standard Time.* For *Daylight Savings Time* add one hour.

Following the Full Moon, when the Moon is in Capricorn, at 4:27 P.M. June 1st and 2nd, and up to 6:16 P.M. June 3rd: a fair time to plant.

Following the Full Moon, when the Moon is in Pisces, June 6th: a good time to plant.

Last Quarter, when the Moon is in Pisces, at 6:35 A.M. June 7th and up to 9:44 A.M. June 8th: a fair time to plant.

Last Quarter, when the Moon is in Taurus, June 11th, 12th and up to 11:05

FISHING DATES

The best fishing time is at the Last Quarter and New Moon periods. A falling barometer indicates fishing will be poor.
The best fishing dates, whether permitting, are June 7th to 22nd inclusive.
The fair dates are June 4th, 5th, 6th, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th.
The low average days are June 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 27th, 28th, 29th and 30th.

A.M. June 13th: a fair time to plant.

New Moon, when the Moon is in Cancer, June 16th, 17th, and up to 8:37 A.M. June 18th: a good time to plant.

First Quarter, when the Moon is in Libra, June 23rd and 24th: a good time to plant flowers and a fair time to plant vegetables.

First Quarter, when the Moon is in Scorpio, June 25th and 26th: a good time to plant.

Full Moon, when the Moon is in Capricorn, June 29th and 30th: a fair time to plant.

Garden and Farm Work

Routine garden and farm work, such as spraying and dusting, to destroy insects and plant diseases, plowing, dragging, harrowing, spading, raking, cultivating and hoeing to destroy weeds, cutting undesired growths and burning same to destroy weed seed and plant diseases with insects, use the following days: Best days are June 1st, 4th, 5th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 14th and 15th; the good days are June 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 27th and 28th.

Seeding for Hay, Grain and Cereals: The best days are June 16th, 17th, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th.

Weaning Animals and Changing Their Feed: The best period for this task is June 1st to 7th and June 27th to 30th inclusive. The best four days are June 2nd, 3rd, 29th and 30th.

Time to Set Eggs: Set chicken eggs June 4th and 5th; set goose eggs June 22nd and 23rd; set duck and turkey eggs June 24th and 25th; purchase baby poultry hatched on June 16th, 17th, 25th and 26th.

Slipping and Transplanting Plants: The best dates are June 16th and 17th all day and up to 8:37 A.M. June 18th, also all day June 25th and 26th. The fair dates for vegetable and good dates for flowers are June 23rd and 24th all day.

Grass Seeding for Lawns: The time is getting late for good summer lawns, due to the hot days with little moisture. If you must make the lawn do it on June 16th, 17th, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th.

Pruning, Nipping Buds and Cutting Grass: These dates can be used for fair cutting if you so wish. Fair for slow growth, June 2nd, 3rd, 7th, 11th, 12th, 29th and 30th. Good for slow growth, June 6th. Good for fast growth, June 16th, 17th, 25th and 26th. Fair for fast growth, June 23rd and 24th.

Laying Sod: Use the early dates of June for the best results, June 2nd, 3rd, 7th, 11th, 12th, 16th, 17th, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 29th and 30th.

Fertilizing the Garden: For chemical fertilizer use the dates of June 16th, 17th, 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th. For animal manures use the dates of June 2nd, 3rd, 6th, 7th, 11th, 12th, 29th and 30th.

Sweet Potato Slips, Irish Potatoes, Bulb Planting, Root Separation and Planting: The fair dates are June 1st after 4:27 P.M., all day June 2nd and up to 6:16 P.M. June 3rd, and all day June 11th, 12th and up to 11:05 A.M. June 13th, also all day June 29th and 30th. The best day is June 6th and a good time is June 7th, and up to 9:44 A.M. June 8th.

Slaughter Animals for Food; Can Vegetables, Fruit or Meat; Make Vegetable and Fruit Juices; also Wine, Sauerkraut and Preserve Eggs: For better flavor and keeping qualities process on June 6th and 7th and up to 9:44 A.M. June 8th.

Preserves, Jellies and Pickles: For firmness and good color process on June 3rd after 6:16 P.M. and June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th and up to 11:05 P.M. June 13th.

Harvesting Seed for Replanting: The best days are June 11th, 12th and up to 11:05 A.M. June 13th.

Harvesting Hay, Fodder and Storage of Grain: The best dates are June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th, 13th and 15th. The fair dates are June 8th after 9:44 A.M. and all day June 9th and 10th.

Harvesting Fruit and Root Crops: The best dates are June 1st all day and after 9:44 A.M. June 8th, and all day June 9th and 10th. The fair dates are June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th.

Laying Shingles, Painting and Setting Fence Posts: Use the dates of June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th and up to 11:05 A.M. June 13th.

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By ANN McMULLIN

Good Days in June

COURTSHIP

For a successful first date and opportunity for a happy friendship: June 5th, 11th, 12th, 19th, 20th, 25th, 26th.

Attend a dance, musical or any of the arts: June 1st, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 23rd, 24th, 27th, 28th.

Dining out—specializing on good food: June 6th, 11th, 16th, 17th, 24th, 25th, 27th.

Outdoor activities—golf, baseball, football, races: June 1st, 8th, 10th, 16th, 17th, 23rd, 24th, 27th.

Writing letters for a pleasant reception: June 1st, 10th, 15th, 16th, 18th, 19th, 27th, 28th.

MARRIAGE

For the ceremony—for happiness and permanency: June 20th.

PERSONAL AFFAIRS

Get a permanent wave: June 11th, 12th.

Hair cut to stimulate growth: June 16th, 17th, 25th, 26th.

Hair cut to retard growth and keep permanent longer: June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th.

Do not wear apparel for first time: June 18th, 19th, 20th, 25th, 26th.

Designing and cutting cloth: June 1st, 11th, 12th, 13th, 15th, 21st, 22nd, 24th, 27th, 28th.

Sewing, mending: June 1st, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 15th, 21st, 22nd, 24th, 27th, 28th.

Baking: June 2nd, 3rd, 9th, 10th, 16th, 17th, 23rd, 24th, 29th, 30th.

Dehydration or drying: June 1st, 8th, 9th, 10th.

Canning: June 6th, 7th.

First consulation with a lawyer on particular case: June 6th, 7th, 19th, 20th, 27th and 28th.

Start construction of home—ground laying: June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th, 18th, 19th, 20th.

Pour concrete for stability: June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th.

Painting—to start job for most satisfactory results: June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th.

Move into a new home for permanency: June 18th, 19th, 20th, 25th, 26th.

Choose house furnishings that blend well together: June 19th, 20th, 23rd, 24th, 27th, 28th.

Entertainment in home to assure pleasant time for all: June 1st, 4th, 5th, 16th, 17th, 24th, 27th, 28th.

Fishing: June 6th, 7th, 16th, 17th, 25th, 26th.

Photography—portraits particularly: June 14th, 15th, 24th.

FINANCE

Apply for a position: June 6th, 19th, 20th, 27th, 28th.

Ask for a raise in salary: June 6th, 8th, 16th, 27th.

Collect debts: June 2nd, 3rd, 9th, 10th, 16th, 17th, 23rd, 24th, 29th, 30th.

Buy real estate to hold and sell at a profit later: June 4th, 5th, 11th, 18th, 19th, 25th, 26th.

Buy real estate for quick turn over and profit: June 6th, 17th, 27th, 28th.

Sell real estate: June 6th, 11th, 16th, 23rd, 27th, 29th.

Sign legal and important papers: June 6th, 19th, 20th, 22nd.

Buy a car that will necessitate a minimum amount of repair: June 6th, 19th, 27th.

Buy clothing for fit and beauty: June 1st, 12th, 19th, 20th, 24th, 27th, 28th.

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Transits for June, 1950

NEW MOON
June 15, 10:45 a.m., L.M.T.
Washington, D. C.

FULL MOON
Effective June 29th to July 15th

(*Data on Full Moon May* 31st *to June* 15th, *See* AMERICAN ASTROLOGY MAGAZINE, *May,* 1950, *Page* 68)

The Full Moon occurs on June 29th, at 2:58 p.m. E.S.T., in 7 degrees, 29 minutes of Capricorn, sextile to Jupiter, opposition Uranus, and square to Mars and Neptune.

NEW MOON
Effective June 15th to June 29th

The New Moon occurs on June 15th, at 10:53 a.m. E.S.T., in 23 degrees, 58 minutes of the sign Gemini, within orbs of an applying square to Mars, and separating from a sextile to Pluto.

Solar Aspects

The Sun completes five major aspects in June: a square to Saturn on the 3rd, a trine to Neptune on the 5th, a sextile to Pluto on the 7th, a conjunction to Uranus on the 27th, and a trine to Jupiter on the 29th. Besides these configurations, the Sun is within orb of a parallel both to Uranus and Pluto for the greater part of the month starting from about June 6th.

Mercury

Mercury moves from 19° 20′ Taurus to 25° 7′ Gemini in June, and completes four major aspects this month; namely, a trine to Mars on the 15th, a square to Jupiter on the 19th, a square to Saturn on the 23rd and a trine to Neptune on the 24th. Mercury forms no parallels in June.

Venus

Venus moves from 29° 33′ Aries to 3° 15′ Gemini in June, and completes three major aspects this month: a sextile to Uranus on the 4th, a sextile to Jupiter on the 7th, and a trine to Saturn on the 12th. Venus completes a parallel to Jupiter on the 2nd.

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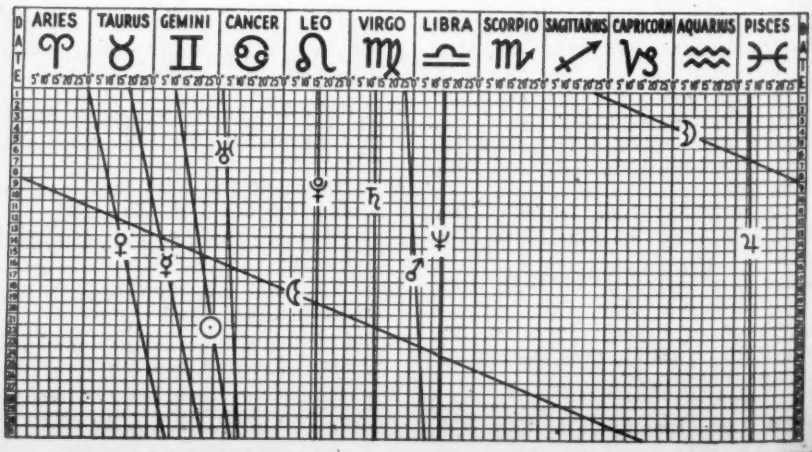

Aspectarian for June, 1950

This Aspectarian provides AN HOUR GUIDE for every day, by which it is possible to determine the BEST hour of any given day, for commencing or consummating any specific undertaking.

By acting at the RIGHT TIME, we reduce the chances of error to a minimum. It must be understood that each influence becomes effective several hours in advance of the HOUR given, but decreases in power very rapidly after passing that hour.

The extent of this interval varies widely for the various planets involved. The hours given may be accepted as a reliable guide if you will time your actions and decisions to be made as closely as possible to the hour given. If it is not possible to act exactly at the hour given, then a time should be chosen which is EARLIER rather than LATER. Generally speaking, aspects of the Moon may be considered as being in effect approximately 10 hours prior to the time given If the periods of two aspects happen to overlap, they may be considered as modifying each other during that time.

Astrological Interpretations by Rose Campbell Starr

June	Pacific Stand. Time	June	Mount'n Stand. Time	June	Central Stand. Time	June	East. Stand. Time	Aspects	Interpretations
1	8:05 am	1	9:05 am	1	10:05 am	1	11:05 am	☽ □ ♂	Tone down impulse, rash action.
	1:27 pm		2:27 pm		3:27 pm		4:27 pm	☽ enters ♑	Moon enters Capricorn.
	2:06		3:06		4:06		5:06	☽ △ ♀	A soft answer wins.
	7:27		8:27		9:27		10:27	☽ ☍ ♅	Change is ever with us.
2	0:01 am	2	1:01 am	2	2:01 am	2	3:01 am	☽ ✶ ♃	Confidence rises renewing forces.
	8:22		9:22		10:22		11:22	☽ ⚹ ☉	Vital powers increase.
	10:33		11:33		12:33 pm		1:33 pm	☽ △ ♄	Hold ground for steady gain.
	1:36		2:36		3:36		4:36	☽ □ ♆	Retreat temporarily if you must.
	3:01		4:01		5:01		6:01	♀ ∥ ♃	Now plan new strategy.
	3:48		4:48		5:48		6:48	☽ ⚹ ♇	Forge ahead.
	10:42		11:42	3	0:42 am	3	1:42 am	☽ △ ♅	Your plan — or dream — true.
3	10:43 am	3	11:43 am		12:43 pm		1:43 pm	☽ △ ♂	Energetic action warrants success.
	3:16		4:16		5:16		6:16	☽ Enters ♒	Moon enters Aquarius.
	6:36		7:36		8:36		9:36	☉ □ ♄	A barrier must be surmounted.
	8:25		9:25		10:25		11:25	☽ □ ♀	Don't let sensitivity deter you.
	9:10		10:10		11:10	4	0:10 am	☽ ∥ ♇	The fittest survive and conquer.
	9:33		10:33		11:33		0:33	☽ ∥ ♅	Ideas proceed with extra zip.
	9:55		10:55		11:55		0:55	☽ ⚹ ♅	Unique plans succeed.
4	2:54 am	4	3:54 am	4	4:54 am		5:54	☽ ⚺ ♃	Effort pays well.
	4:55		5:55		6:55		7:55	☽ ∥ ☉	Balance is attained.
	2:01 pm		3:01 pm		4:01 pm		5:01 pm	☽ ⚹ ♄	If you're right hold your ground.
	3:12		4:12		5:12		6:12	♀ ✶ ♅	Friendly romance helpful.
	3:26		4:26		5:26		6:26	☽ △ ☉	Social contacts bring poise, power.
	5:06		6:06		7:06		8:06	☽ △ ♆	A dream comes true.
	7:34		8:34		9:34		10:34	☽ ☍ ♇	Turn about is fair play.
5	5:28 am	5	6:28 am	5	7:28 am	5	8:28 am	☽ □ ♅	Better wait this one out.
	3:02 pm		4:02 pm		5:02 pm		6:02 pm	☉ △ ♆	An illusion becomes a reality.
	5:17		6:17		7:17		8:17	☽ ⚹ ♂	A flourish and a flash help.
	7:18		8:18		9:18		10:18	☽ ∥ ♅	Make agreements and decisions.
	8:56		9:56		10:56		11:56	☽ Enters ♓	Moon enters Pisces.
6	4:25 am	6	5:25 am	6	6:25 am	6	7:25 am	☽ △ ♅	New direction or detour surprises.
	7:57		8:57		9:57		10:57	☽ ✶ ♀	Agreeable outcome of plans.
	8:46		9:46		10:46		11:46	☽ ∥ ♀	Look for the best.
	9:48		10:48		11:48		12:48 pm	☽ ☌ ♃	Seek or ask favors.
	3:12		4:12		5:12		6:12	☽ ∥ ♃	Benefits still accrue.
	8:50		9:50		10:50		11:50	☽ ∥ ♄	Now bank your proceeds.
	9:35		10:35		11:35	7	0:35 am	☽ ☍ ♄	A banked fire endures.
7	0:47	7	1:47	7	2:47		3:47	☽ ⚹ ♆	Dreams or imagination run high.
	3:13		4:13		5:13		6:13	☉ ✶ ♇	Courage, confidence win.
	3:35		4:35		5:35		6:35	☽ □ ☉	Turn with the tide.
	3:37		4:37		5:37		6:37	☽ ⚹ ♇	Direct energy wisely.
	5:29		6:29		7:29		8:29	♀ ✶ ♃	Prepare to seek favor.
	2:40 pm		3:40 pm		4:40 pm		5:40 pm	☽ ∥ ♆	Eliminate liabilities.
	5:42		6:42		7:42		8:42	☽ ✶ ♅	Line up your assets.
8	4:13 am	8	5:13 am	8	6:13 am	8	7:13 am	☽ ∥ ♂	Be sure, then act.
	4:26		5:26		6:26		7:26	☽ ☍ ♂	Defer this decision.
	6:44		7:44		8:44		9:44	☽ Enters ♈	Moon enters Aries.
	12:11 pm		1:11 pm		2:11 pm		3:11 pm	☽ ∥ ♂	Tend to routine tasks.
	2:55		3:55		4:55		5:55	☽ □ ♅	Changes or detours bring mishaps.
	8:35		9:35		10:35		11:35	☽ ⚺ ♃	Public affairs prosper.
9	0:33 am	9	1:33 am	9	2:33 am	9	3:33 am	☽ ⚺ ♀	Friendly understanding assists.
	2:09		3:09		4:09		5:09	☽ ∥ ♆	Keep to your usual system.
	9:02		10:02		11:02		12:02 pm	☽ ⚹ ♄	Stand firm to convictions.
	12:06 pm		1:06 pm		2:06 pm		3:06	☽ ☍ ♆	Keep clear-headed and steady.
	3:10		4:10		5:10		6:10	☽ △ ♇	Force and aggression pay.
	8:18		9:18		10:18		11:18	☽ ✶ ☉	Steady perserverance wins.
	8:28		9:28		10:28		11:28	☽ ∥ ♄	A firm hand takes the controls.
10	2:27 am	10	3:27 am	10	4:27 am	10	5:27 am	☽ ∥ ♃	Attend to financial details.
	10:43		11:43		12:43 pm		1:43 pm	☽ ⚺ ♅	Balance the budget or ledger.
	6:40		7:40		8:40		9:40	☽ ⚹ ♂	Clear the slate for a new deal.
	7:20		8:20		9:20		10:20	☽ Enters ♉	Moon enters Taurus.

June	Pacific Stand. Time	June	Mount'n Stand. Time	June	Central Stand. Time	June	East. Stand. Time	Aspects	Interpretations
11	3:50 am	11	4:50 am	11	5:50 am	11	6:50 am	☽ ✳ ♅	Originality succeeds.
	7:54		8:54		9:54		10:54	☽ ∥ ☿	Tie up ravelled ends.
	9:22		10:22		11:22		12:22 pm	☽ ∥ ♀	Make decisive moves, plans.
	9:36		10:36		11:36		12:36	☽ ✳ ♃	Grasp opportunity.
	7:58 pm		8:58 pm		9:58 pm		10:58	☽ ☌ ♀	Charm and persuasion win.
	10:09 pm		11:09 pm	12	0:09 am	12	1:09 am	☽ △ ♭	Reason is the watchword.
12	0:58 am	12	1:58 am		2:58		3:58	☽ ⚹ ♆	Pursue unusual issues.
	4:12		5:12		6:12		7:12	☽ □ ♆	Shelter sensitive feelings, hurts.
	2:37 pm		3:37 pm		4:37 pm		5:37 pm	☽ ⚺ ☉	Start at a new level.
	7:03		8:03		9:03		10:03	♀ △ ♭	Sound emotions endure.
13	0:43 am	13	1:43 am	13	2:43 am	13	3:43 am	☽ ∥ ☉	There's power in repose.
	3:54		4:54		5:54		6:54	☽ ∥ ♅	Unexpected benefits or profits.
	5:00		6:00		7:00		8:00	☽ ∥ ♆	Take a firm stand.
	5:37		6:37		7:37		8:37	☽ ☌ ☿	Adhere to ideals, principles.
	8:05		9:05		10:05		11:05	☽ Enters ♊	Moon enters Gemini.
	9:28		10:28		11:28		12:28 pm	☽ △ ♂	Express firm confidence in ability.
	4:54 pm		5:54 pm		6:54 pm		7:54	☽ ⚺ ♅	Follow unusual techniques.
	10:31		11:31	14	0:31 am	14	1:31 am	☽ □ ♃	Curb excess over-optimism.
	10:36		11:36		0:36		1:36	♀ ⚹ ♆	Keep ideals high.
14	10:50 am	14	11:50 am		12:50 pm		1:50 pm	☽ □ ♭	Don't buck the tide; wait it out.
	1:19 pm		2:19 pm		3:19		4:19	☽ △ ♆	Lofty plans help promote projects.
	2:54		3:54		4:54		5:54	☽ ⚺ ♀	Charm pays dividends.
	4:38		5:38		6:38		7:38	☽ ✳ ♆	Sound principles succeed.
15	7:53 am	15	8:53 am	15	9:53 am	15	10:53 am	☽ ☌ ☉	A new trend of mental achievement.
	9:06		10:06		11:06		12:06 pm	♀ □ ♆	Curb emotions; jealousy.
	11:29		12:29 pm		1:29 pm		2:29	☿ △ ♂	Forceful mental attitudes win.
	7:45 pm		8:45		9:45		10:45	☽ Enters ♋	Moon enters Cancer.
	11:02	16	0:02 am	16	1:02 am	16	2:02 am	☽ □ ♂	Curb eagerness, extremes.
	11:57		0:57		1:57		2:57	☽ ⚺ ☿	Keep plans confidential.
16	4:35 am		5:35		6:35		7:35	☽ ☌ ♅	The trend changes radically.
	9:56		10:56		11:56		12:56 pm	☽ △ ♃	Accept or grant favors.
	10:00		11:00	17	0:00 mid.	17	1:00 am	☽ ✳ ♭	Seek security, stability.
17	0:08 am	17	1:08 am		2:08 am		3:08	☽ □ ♆	Stay put.
	3:26		4:26		5:26		6:26	☽ ⚺ ♆	Confidence wins.
	7:42		8:42		9:42		10:42	☽ ✳ ♀	Persuasive tactics help.
	8:10 pm		9:10 pm		10:10 pm		11:10 pm	☿ ⚺ ♅	A sharp change of policy.
	10:54		11:54	18	0:54 am	18	1:54 am	☽ ⚺ ☉	Power in repose.
18	5:37 am	18	6:37 am		7:37		8:37	☽ Enters ♌	Moon enters Leo.
	10:39		11:39		12:39 pm		1:39 pm	☽ ✳ ♂	Aggressive methods win.
	10:48		11:48		12:48		1:48	☽ ∥ ♆	Keep confident.
	11:57		12:57 pm		1:57		2:57	☽ ∥ ♅	A minor surprise.
	1:24 pm		2:24		3:24		4:24	☽ ∥ ☉	A surge of power.
	2:27		3:27		4:27		5:27	☽ ⚺ ♅	The unexpected pleases.
	4:40		5:40		6:40		7:40	☽ ✳ ☿	Moves, plans succeed.
	7:28		8:28		9:28		10:28	☽ ⚹ ♃	Faith is a necessary attribute.
19	7:14 am	19	8:14 am	19	9:14 am	19	10:14 am	☽ ⚺ ♭	Seek stability, security.
	9:01		10:01		11:01		12:01 pm	☽ ✳ ♆	Imagination, fertile ideas succeed.
	11:30		12:30 pm		1:30 pm		2:30	♅ ∥ ♆	There's a pearl in this oyster.
	12:21 pm		1:21		2:21		3:21	☽ ☌ ♆	Courage wins the prize.
	12:59		1:59		2:59		3:59	☽ ∥ ☿	Keep ideas conservative.
	5:33		6:33		7:33		8:33	☿ □ ♃	Avoid over-confidence; postpone decisions.
	10:02		11:02	20	0:02 am	20	1:02 am	☽ □ ♀	Protect sensitive feelings; retire early.
20	3:33 am	20	4:33 am		5:33		6:33	☽ ∥ ♀	Extra sleep will help.
	11:25		12:25 pm		1:25 pm		2:25 pm	☽ ✳ ☉	Promote projects, interests.
	1:30 pm		2:30		3:30		4:30	☽ Enters ♍	Moon enters Virgo.
	8:12		9:12		10:12		11:12	☽ ⚺ ♂	Plan or work quietly behind scenes.
	10:18		11:18	21	0:18 am	21	1:18 am	☽ ✳ ♅	Plan along new, original lines.
21	2:56 am	21	3:56 am		4:56		5:56	☽ ☍ ♃	Curb indulgence, excess.
	7:12		8:12		9:12		10:12	☽ ∥ ♃	Keep plans within bounds.
	7:14		8:14		9:14		10:14	☽ □ ☿	Postpone decisions.
	1:08 pm		2:08 pm		3:08 pm		4:08 pm	☽ ∥ ♭	Tend to routine however dull.
	2:23		3:23		4:23		5:23	☽ ☍ ♭	Relax and rest this evening.
	3:52		4:52		5:52		6:52	☽ ⚺ ♆	Recoup nervous energy.
	7:10		8:10		9:10		10:10	☽ ⚺ ♆	Plan a new schedule.
22	4:24 am	22	5:24 am	22	6:24 am	22	7:24 am	☽ ∥ ♆	Rely on a higher power.
	9:23		10:23		11:23		12:23 pm	☽ △ ♀	Charm a valuable asset to achievement.
	2:16 pm		3:16 pm		4:16 pm		5:16	☽ ∥ ♂	When charm pales, use aggression.
	7:09		8:09		9:09		10:09	☽ Enters ♎	Moon enters Aries.
	9:12		10:12		11:12	23	0:12 am	☽ □ ☉	A turning point in affairs.
23	2:08 am	23	3:08 am	23	4:08 am		5:08	☽ ∥ ♂	Execute plans within reason.
	3:11		4:11		5:11		6:11	☽ ☍ ♂	Avoid rash conduct, accidents, pitfalls.
	3:43		4:43		5:43		6:43	☽ □ ♅	Expect no favors; avoid disappointment.
	6:28		7:28		8:28		9:28	☽ ∥ ♆	An idea of exceptional merit bears hatching.

June	Pacific Stand. Time	June	Mount'n Stand. Time	June	Central Stand. Time	June	East. Stand. Time	Aspects	Interpretatons
	8:00		9:00		10:00		11:00	☽ ☍ ♃	Pick up all loose ends.
	7:06 pm		8:06 pm		9:06 pm		10:06 pm	☽ △ ☿	Plan, but act later.
	7:09		8:09		9:09		10:09	☽ ⚹ ♄	Sit tight; keep steady.
	7:28		8:28		9:28		10:28	☿ □ ♄	Obstacles to plans; postpone issues.
	8:19		9:19		10:19		11:19	☽ ☌ ♆	Retire early after a tiring day.
	11:20	24	0:20 am	24	1:20 am	24	2:20 am	♂ □ ♅	Alarms, explosions; stay clear in shelter.
	11:31		0:31		1:31		2:31	☽ ✳ ♇	Early plans warily executed succeed.
24	1:42 am		2:52		3:52		4:52	☽ ∥ ♄	Postpone issues temporarily.
	4:50		5:50		6:50		7:50	☿ △ ♆	An inspirational plan should materialize.
	7:42		8:42		9:42		10:42	☽ ∥ ♃	Creative forces advance your interests.
	5:37 pm		6:37 pm		7:37 pm		8:37 pm	☽ ☍ ♀	Seek congenial social contacts.
	10:17		11:17	25	0:17 am	25	1:17 am	☽ Enters ♏	Moon enters Scorpio.
25	3:50 am	25	4:50 am		5:50		6:50	☽ △ ☉	Success in ambitions, achievements.
	6:42		7:42		8:42		9:42	☽ △ ♅	Opportunity for unforseen advancement.
	7:15		8:15		9:15		10:15	☿ ✳ ♇	Plans succeed by stern endeavor.
	7:33		8:33		9:33		10:33	☽ ⚻ ♂	Talent combines well with hard work.
	10:36		11:36		12:36 pm		1:36 pm	☽ △ ♃	Take advantage of opportunity.
	3:57 pm		4:57 pm		5:57		6:57	☽ ∥ ♀	Sign and deliver for best profit.
	9:30		10:30		11:30	26	0:30 am	☽ ✳ ♄	Production boosts dividends.
	10:22		11:22	26	0:22 am		1:22	☽ ⚻ ♆	Conserve health, resources.
26	1:32 am	26	2:32 am		3:32		4:32	☽ □ ♇	Curb force, impatience.
	4:02		5:02		6:02		7:02	☽ ☍ ☿	Work out new, improved methods.
	11:01		12:01 pm		1:01 pm		2:01 pm	☽ ∥ ☿	Advance new plans, ideas.
	6:02 pm		7:02		8:02		9:02	☽ ∥ ☉	A new spurt of ambition.
	7:35		8:35		9:35		10:35	☽ ∥ ♅	Extra impetus to achievement.
	7:45		8:45		9:45		10:45	☽ ∥ ♇	Shrewdness invites gain.
	11:08	27	0:08 am	27	1:08 am	27	2:08 am	☽ ☌ ♀	Draw in your horns.
	11:25		0:25		1:25		2:25	☽ Enters ♐	Moon enters Sagittarius.
27	2:17 am		3:17		4:17		5:17	☉ ☌ ♅	Prepare for the unforeseen.
	7:49		8:49		9:49		10:49	☽ ☍ ♅	A surprising element.
	8:10		9:10		10:10		11:10	☽ ☍ ☉	Be firm, confident.
	9:57		10:57		11:57		12:57 pm	☽ ✳ ♂	Take the aggressive.
	11:26		12:26 pm		1:26 pm		2:26	☽ □ ♃	Don't overplay your hand.
	10:17 pm		11:17	28	0:17 am	28	1:17 am	☽ □ ♄	Call a halt and retire.
	10:55		11:55		0:55		1:55	☽ ✳ ♆	Rest and recoup energy.
28	2:08 am	28	3:08 am		4:08		5:08	☽ △ ♇	Energetic attributes imperil confidence.
	8:47 pm		9:47 pm		10:47 pm		11:47 pm	☽ ☌ ☿	Postpone immediate decisions.
	11:48	29	0:48 am	29	1:48 am	29	2:48 am	☽ Enters ♑	Moon enters Capricorn.
29	3:44 am		4:44		5:44		6:44	☽ ☍ ♀	Tackle routine tasks, problems.
	8:30		9:30		10:30		11:30	☽ ☌ ♅	A sudden switch sways to leeward.
	9:37		10:37		11:37		12:37 pm	♂ ☍ ♃	Aggressive tactics succeed.
	10:51		11:51		12:51 pm		1:51	☉ △ ♃	Plums are ripe for the picking.
	11:56		12:56 pm		1:56		2:56	☽ ✳ ♃	Promote yourself or projects.
	11:58		12:58		1:58		2:58	☽ ☌ ☉	Now coast in on second.
	12:01 pm		1:01		2:01		3:01	☽ □ ♂	Keep a neutral attitude.
	12:02		1:02		2:02		3:02	☉ □ ♂	Curb force and temperament.
	11:12	30	0:12 am	30	1:12 am	30	2:12 am	☽ △ ♄	Take time to reorder.
	11:38		0:38		1:38		2:38	☽ □ ♆	Remain firm, steady, clear-headed.
30	3:01 am		4:01		5:01		6:01	☽ ☍ ♇	Self-assurance attracts confidence.
	4:25		5:25		6:25		7:25	☉ ∥ ☿	Take a firm stand.
	8:22 pm		9:22 pm		10:22 pm		11:22 pm	☽ ☍ ☿	Adhere to right principles.

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Much can happen before the end of July. If there is no reaction of any importance, it can be that late-July-early-August will enjoy still stronger volume, and increased new average highs, in securities. If enough of a shakeout comes before then, it could be that the July 31st date might mark a rally that would fall short of earlier tops. But this is getting out of June, which is our present study. One cannot slice a month off too close, however; better to look ahead, and back, and get a perspective.

In summary, the middle of June has the spotlight, with Mars on the equator, Moon at maximum North declination, and the new Moon of the month, with the angular Saturn square the Sun and Moon conjunction. The last few days of the month are shot through with Mars- Uranus aspects. We have just seem a similar set of these, in late March, with no apparent effect on the market. These same days are ones to be careful in all things, to avoid and prevent accidents. Witness the series of strange fires, and aviation-transportation catastrophies in recent weeks. In commodities, wheat, corn, cotton, etc., the close outlook will always depend on the technical factors of the moment. The weight of opinion for the long-range indicates a downward trend.

WHEN TO ACT

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Buy shoes for comfort and wear: June 6th, 7th, 8th A.M., 27th.

Advertising—to start a new project or sales campaign: June 6th, 7th, 9th, 16th, 18th, 19th, 20th.

Renting for lengthy period: June 5th, 11th, 12th, 19th, 20th, 25th, 26th.

Credit purchases easier to liquidate: June 23rd, 24th, 27th, 28th.

Selling manuscript: June 6th, 7th, 16th, 19th, 20th, 27th.

HEALTH

Appointment with medical doctor: June 6th, 7th, 19th, 27th.

Appointment with dentist for fillings and plate impressions: June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th.

Appointment with dentist for extractions: June 15th, 21st, 22nd, 27th, 28th.

Appointment pertaining to eyes or for glasses: June 6th, 19th, 20th.

AGRICULTURE

Cut timber: June 1st, 8th, 9th, 10th.

Plant trees for quick growth: June 16th, 17th, 25th, 26th.

Cut weeds and delay new growth: June 2nd, 3rd, 9th, 10th.

Setting posts to prevent rot: June 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th.

Pruning: June 6th, 7th.

Spraying: June 2nd, 3rd, 9th, 10th.

Irrigation that can be assimilated by plant life: June 6th, 7th, 16th, 17th, 25th, 26th.

Grafting, pollinizing, budding: June 16th, 17th, 25th, 26th.

Planting for growth below the ground: June 6th, 7th.

Planting for growth above the ground: June 16th, 17th, 25th, 26th.

Planting bulbs for seed: June 6th, 7th.

Planting flowers for good bloom: June 16th, 17th, 25th, 26th.

TRANSITS FOR JUNE

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Mars

Mars in June moves from 26° 30′ Virgo to 7° 40′ Libra. Mars completes one major aspect this month, a square to Uranus on June 24th. Though we do not usually mention minor aspects in this section, the one formed by Mars this June is likely to be of some significance: a semi-sextile to Jupiter on the 30th. No parallels are formed by Mars this month.

Jupiter and Saturn

Jupiter from 6° 24′ Pisces on June 1st to 7° 27′ on the 26th, when Jupiter turns retrograde, going back to 7° 26′ Pisces on the 30th. Jupiter forms no major aspects or parallels in June, and is aspected by minor planets as stated in the above paragraphs.

Saturn proceeds from 12° 50′ Virgo to 14° 19′ Virgo during June. Saturn forms no major aspects or parallels this month.

Uranus, Neptune and Pluto

Uranus in June transits from 3° 39′ to 5° 21′ of Cancer. On June 18th-19th Uranus parallels Pluto.

Neptune retrogrades from 14° 44′ Libra to 14° 35′ Libra on the 26th, turning direct on that day, and then proceeding a few seconds of arc further (11″ to be exact) until the end of the month.

Pluto proceeds in June from 16° 2′ to 16° 37′ Leo of the same sign.

Aries

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born February 19 to March 20

Keynote of the month ahead: There is an impetus at work in respect to communications, ideas, writings, local affairs during June. Some stirring in matters connected with travel, neighbors, kin, and youth should also be worthy of notice. Until June 11th, your work, service, and health interests call for attention. After this date there is apt to be greater than normal activity concerning partnership, marital, outside or public concerns. Be open-minded toward new ideas and conceptions and keep your contacts "up-to-date." Try to put commercial interests and the "daily round" on a more efficient basis. If things do not show immediate improvement, have patience and don't be discouraged. Give them time to work out. Keep your responsibilities in mind and let no concentration on your own purposes make you neglect them. Self-interest can cause you to be inconsiderate if you do not check the tendency. You may also be in such a rush that you run unnecessary dangers in transit.

Timing Your Efforts

What you say or write during June can be exceptionally effective. However, you will do well to defer putting things down in black and white until after the 3rd. The solar accent from the 4th to the 17th is constructive and favors getting around, seeing people. Make the most of even daily routine and customary meetings. Be on the alert for progressive suggestions which you can develop. And in all cases, take an optimistic, hopeful outlook; "accent the positive." You may have to cover some old ground to straighten out persistent tangles. Clear up chores which you have let slide. This interval (June 4th to 17th) indicates that you can benefit through taking a special interest in kinfolk, agents, and those living in your vicinity. You can expect letters and other media to bring interesting and/or pleasant information. If some vital matter has to be decided, pass judgment during this span. Following the 21st, the foundations on which you have built may be shifted somewhat. This may affect your home, family, base of operations, and/or parents. With Uranus a part of this planetary picture, the unexpected is to the fore. Things unaccountable and wholly unplanned may occur. You may at times even have the desire to give up and "clear out" when the situation seems too much for you. But this would be a most unwise thing to do. You need, instead, to bring to bear the coolest, calmest judgment you possess, in order to adapt satisfactorily to your changing world.

Influence of Your Planetary Regent

Those things which touch your daily activities or job, what you do for others and they for you — physical welfare, wardrobe, and basic requirements—are emphasized prior to June 11th. Under existing stimulations you will be inclined to be quite a "go-getter" where your work is concerned. Get as much accomplished as you can during this term, and try to streamline your efforts. Be thoughtful of your fellow-employees and "the boss," and boost your stock with them. After this date (June 11th) the accent is on the "other fellow" and on partnership and cooperative activity. From June 11th to 15th, "two heads are better than one;" discuss ideas, be open to suggestions. This is a good time for catching up with correspondence, trips, visits, and contacts. Following the 15th, exercise careful self-control. Don't create disturbance or antagonism if conditions do not altogether suit you. Avoid returning a sharp answer to partners and associates or "flying off the handle" even under provocation. Perhaps if you get all the facts in the case you will understand the attitude of your antagonist. Remember also that too rosy a view of prospects is as bad as an overly gloomy one. Strike a happy medium and remain poised past the 29th. Things should "look up" for you by July 5th.

Aries Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1—JUPITER—Poise, concentration, hard work brings notice of superiors, aids standing. Push money-making ideas, be alert to progressive angles.

Fri.—June 2—SATURN — Work steadily, rely on yourself, tie up loose ends. Agreements, contracts, signatures favorable if you steer through uncertainties. Verify facts.

Sat.—June 3—SATURN — Use exuberant energies for one thing at a time. Daily job, necessities, benefit from vigorous attack, but avoid over-fatigue. Evening socially poor. Keep to yourself. Shun self-pity.

Sun.—June 4—URANUS—Later afternoon on, socially gratifying, surprises possible, Friends, relatives, messages, make a happy day, raise spirits and hopes.

Mon.—June 5—URANUS — Speed makes errors in A.M.—slow down for accuracy. Factual insistence, intelligent discussion, broadens scope of understanding between partners.

Tue. — June 6 — NEPTUNE — Seek help through confidential sources. Benefits that strengthen foundations possible through generous folk. Have faith in plans, once set.

Wed.—June 7 — NEPTUNE — Foolish to give yourself a sleepless night worrying about yesterday. Everything is O.K. though details may change. Why squeeze the juice out of things?

Thu.—June 8—MARS—Start day slowly. Control emotional flareups to conserve health, energies, preserve family harmony. Flex to the unexpected. Be willing to submerge ego.

Fri. — June 9 — MARS — Late afternoon, evening best hours for contacts. Let other fellow approach you. Foggy atmosphere not favorable to good self-perspective.

Sat. — June 10 — MARS — Power urges strong and seem to relate to money. Evening best. Be progressive, receptive to ideas that improve skills.

Sun. — June 11 — VENUS — Yesterday's ideas may be consolidated today. See bosses, display practical know-how, rely on confidential help. Business and pleasure work hand-in-hand.

Mon.—June 12—VENUS — Faithful performance, practical resourcefulness, clever use of capacities, add to your stature as a worker, improve earnings, win favors.

Tue.—June 13—MERCURY—Early news gives you a lift that may spill out wastefully, unless you keep your eye on the ball. Keep expectations practical. Over-confidence distorts judgment.

Wed.—June 14 — MERCURY — Depth, imagination, and vision are needed to advertise your ideas. Play hunches, rely on guidance that springs from your deeper self.

Thu.—June 15—MERCURY—Progress in the next lunar month depends on control and perfection of routine and environmental factors. Today fundamentals, not romance, speed you to your goal. Late hours tricky, accidental—be on guard.

Fri.—June 16 — MOON — Home, parents, fundamentals, benefit from private unexpected understandings. Change is in atmosphere. Keep your eye on realities.

Sat.—June 17—MOON—Harmonize relationships at home, say the pleasant healing word. Entertain, refurbish closets and pantries, discharge basic obligations cheerfully.

Sun.—June 18—SUN—Doing what is personally pleasing and best expresses you to yourself. Associations stimulating but let things come to you.

Mon.—June 19—SUN—More vigor available to impress your ideas. Be personal, dramatic, but up to date in concept, broad in appeal, idealistic. Evening, emotions tricky. Be careful.

Tue.—June 20—MERCURY—If you were your best self yesterday, today brings the fruits. Have important interviews, make agreements. Best before 2 P.M. Evening stimulating but not reliable.

Wed.—June 21—MERCURY—Health may give concern if you've neglected diet and work routines. Saturn still in 6th requires steady adjustment to necessity.

Thu.—June 22—MERCURY — Work and money pleasantly aligned. Purchase clothes, household staples, have a beauty treatment, enjoy yourself. Evening, erratic, disruptive trends may disturb valuable relationships.

Fri.—June 23—VENUS—Hectic day when you handle others with diplomacy, tact, conciliation to preserve balance. Evening, try a different type of book or music to take mind off yourself.

Sat.—June 24—VENUS—You're fine; it's still the other fellow who's disturbing the equilibrium. Late hours more harmonious. Get together on fundamentals.

Sun.—June 25—PLUTO — Now go after those cooperative contacts that strengthen home and basic operations. Confidence justified. Be progressive, original, steady.

Mon.—June 26—PLUTO — Mutual finances, interdependent assistant, strengthen understandings, support contracts. Side-step touchiness. You're only one of many involved.

Tue.—June 27—JUPITER—If you didn't blow your top last night you see the picture more clearly. Avoid extremes of elation and worry. Bring philosophy to bear on your problem.

Wed.—June 28—JUPITER — Uncertainty still plagues you. Have faith in your new vision. Be an optimist but work like a beaver.

Thu.—June 29—SATURN—Today is climactic. Business may demand sweeping home changes, revisions of relationships that startle. Rely on inner guidance.

Fri.—June 30 — SATURN — Business, superiors, prestige, and their repercussions on home and fundamentals occupy stage center.

Taurus

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born April 20 to May 20

Keynote of the month ahead: For the most part, this June emphasizes your most typical qualities. Your basic desire for peace at almost any price will be enhanced. And you will want to add to your possessions, comfort, and financial stability. You will also have attention called to your income, practicality, and manner of handling money. There is, in addition, some activity centering around loved ones, talents, and pleasures until the 11th. After this date the necessities of life, conditions in the workaday world, what you are required to do for a living, are apt to take up a great deal of effort and extra time. Be wide-awake to seize every chance to get ahead. Use your natural fund of tact and understanding to make the most of your relations with those in authority. When a clever gadget or short-cut occurs to you, don't brush it aside; put it into operation. In relations with dear ones and young folks, be understanding; try to see things through their eyes.

Timing Your Efforts

The month of June makes plain the need for systematization in your pecuniary setup, and at the same time offers you the chance to effect it. "Gather your forces" as best you can previous to the 3rd, and from the 18th to 21st; inform yourself in detail of conditions. But "hold your fire" when it comes to acting. You may feel compelled by the pressure of circumstances to do something *at once.* But in the long run, patience, perseverance, and careful planning will be required. Stay clear of risks; protect assets. From June 4th to 17th gives you a good span in which to move ahead with plans to bolster the income from your labors, perhaps through some new source. As a Taurean you are apt to be quite aware of essentially all aspects of a given financial situation. Too, you know how to "get your money's worth." Matters will work out successfully if you adapt your methods to circumstances and people as you find them. Following the 21st, solar activity in your 3rd house of thoughts and thinking will lead to fertile cerebration. You may also have the wish to express yourself, visit people and/or to travel. You will probably be able to satisfy these desires—but perhaps only at the cost of neglecting something else. Weigh the situation well before you decide. Be particularly careful that you do not give your superiors cause for complaint. If you take up anything new, stick to it until you have succeeded; don't expect too much in a hurry. "Step softly" around the 27th or 29th; you could easily stir up animosity through unwise aggressiveness. Be careful enroute.

Your Activity Pattern

Until June 11th, you'll be in the mood for more freedom and pleasure. You will also be capable of expressing the most gifted phases of your nature. Therefore, do not "take a back seat;" have confidence in yourself and ability to put "your best foot forward" at this time. From the 11th to 15th, the activity accent favors bodily and employment interests and relations with associates and higher-ups. You can profit by this to add to your knowledge, or you can fritter it away negatively in bickering and dissension. Watch diet and don't "bend the elbow" too frequently following the 15th. Take things easy, even though you have a full schedule. Avoid strain and exhaustion.

Influence of Your Planetary Regent

Venus is in your own Sun-Sign until June 27th. Therefore you will do well to add to your stock of adornments, particularly prior to the 12th while Venus is well aspected. You will appreciate artistic expression more than usual. You will also be able to appeal to others through your heightened magnetism. Effective contacts now can contribute greatly to your success. Romance may also flower for you; get about and cultivate the social side of life. Following the 12th, keep clear of all complexities of a personal and social nature. Limit expenditures. Don't lend or borrow if you can avoid doing so.

Taurus Daily Guide

Thu. — June 1 — PLUTO — Personal and joint finances may be satisfactorily settled today. Control reactions to unexpected emotional money involvements in A.M. Use charm, personal touch to promote objectives in P.M.

Fri.—June 2—JUPITER—Step out, contact elders, superiors. Project practical ideas that best express talents. Avoid ambiguous situations.

Sat.—June 3—JUPITER—Watch important relationships carefully, Trend to diffusion of thought and act could bring money, emotional set-back evening. Be objective.

Sun.—June 4—SATURN—Friends, social contacts, valuable if problems of business, standing, color your Sunday. Afternoon on, good for self-advancement related to social angle. Be sure of facts.

Mon.—June 5—SATURN—Fundamentals uppermost. Inspiration, large-mindedness enhance your earnings through breadth of understanding, willingness to adjust.

Tue.—June 6—URANUS—Objectives realized through clever blending of social, business factors. Have fun, entertain, join the crowd, but call it a day early.

Wed.—June 7—URANUS—A slow beginning helps you gain the most from family and money situations. Handle superiors tactfully, regard facts, move carefully.

Thu.—June 8—NEPTUNE—Control sudden emotional urges, flex to the unexpected in environment. Be alert to accidental possibilities, if traveling. Keep to yourself as much as possible.

Fri.—June 9—NEPTUNE—Private problems of work, health, demands of unfortunates, bring uncertainty and tension. Late afternoon on, act to solve problems through confidential contacts.

Sat.—June 10—NEPTUNE—Try to settle behind-the-scenes matters through unselfish comprehension of problems. Do for others, let go, have faith, rest.

Sun.—June 11—MARS—The green light is yours! Dress up, step out, enjoy Sunday with those you love. Be alert to possibilities of advancement through groups and community factors.

Mon.—June 12—MARS — Like yesterday, all yours. Seek favors of elders, superiors. Cement money matters, develop romantic attachment. Be reliable, responsible.

Tue.—June 13 — VENUS — Act on good news of late last night or early morning, but be guided by realistic, sound financial appraisal of potentialities. Control over-confident notions that grow later in day.

Wed.—June 14 — VENUS — Problems of security can be depressing if you went out of line yesterday. Serious thinking sets you straight. Ask aid of co-workers, home-folks.

Thu.—June 15—VENUS—The next lunar month stresses earnings and requirements of daily job. Cultivate new skills, methods; conquer that Taurus reluctance to change.

Fri.—June 16—MERCURY—Sudden developments challenge your adaptability. Utilize opportunities through friends and elders; harmonize situations.

Sat.—June 17—MERCURY—Work quietly, attend to details of routine and environment. A cheerful word starts the day right.

Sun. — June 18 — MOON — Your base of operations—home, work, or school—seethes with activity. Act, do. Display skill, aptitude, alertness.

Mon.—June 19—MOON—Same as yesterday, with accent on finishing jobs, tying up details, rather than new starts. Afternoon, take sudden developments in stride. Be sure of facts, skeptical.

Tue.—June 20—SUN—Now go ahead to facilitate matters relative to earnings and home. Discuss, plan. Bosses are favorable. Evening, seek mentally stimulating contacts, personal and recreatinal.

Wed.—June 21—SUN — Romance, affairs of children, projection of creative talents, bring sober realizations. Depth of feeling, responsible attitudes, prevent worry, self-pity.

Thu.—June 22—SUN—Today brings respite, but take it easy. This is no time for giddy romance. Emotional maturity, rewarding on personal level.

Fri.—June 23—MERCURY—More of the same; have regard for stability of foundations and daily necessities. Steer clear of ambiguous people and situations, sift fact from fancy.

Sat.—June 24—MERCURY — Mature insights, intuitions, help control fluctuations on job. Adjust to change, distraction of details. Evening partners, superiors, lend a big boost.

Sun.—June 25—VENUS—Present and be receptive to original, inventive, progressive ideas that strengthen joint projects, have money-making value. Friends bring patronage, opportunity. Seek them.

Mon.—June 26—VENUS—Continue quietly along yesterday's line. Defer to partners, use tact, conciliation. Avoid strained emotional expression, reproaches.

Tue. — June 27 — PLUTO — Sudden demands on cooperative funds for business or health challenges your resourcefulness. Be moderate, take temporary setbacks or delays in stride.

Wed. — June 28 — PLUTO — What you wanted yesterday may come to you today. Don't push, use wits, faith, to see through sharply fluctuating circumstances.

Thu.—June 29 — JUPITER — Desires are reached through alertness to new factors. See bosses, friends before 3 P.M. Be prepared for hard work, difficulties with co-workers thereafter, but you're really on top.

Fri. — June 30 — JUPITER — Keep your wits on the job, do one thing at a time. Erratic ideas, emotions, may diffuse energies fruitlessly.

Gemini

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born May 21 to June 21

Keynote of the month ahead: With considerable planetary weight in your Sun-Sign, your charm should be increased and your individual prospects brightened. For the most part you should be "hitting on high" so far as energy and physical well-being are concerned. After the 21st you can expect some revisions in your set-up which has to do with possessions, assets, the exchequer and the budget. Dust off the exalted ambitions and goals you have "laid away in moth-balls;" you can reach some of them if you do not falter in your effort. Let pals and kinfolk, and other who know you well, lend their encouragement to keep you up to the mark. Promote personal interests and contacts. You will add to your popularity by regarding the rights and wishes of others as well as your own. Be thrifty following the 21st; don't plunge into things without careful consideration. Skirt risks involving money and belongings, speculation, or affairs of the heart.

Timing Your Efforts

The Sun in your own Sign during the first three weeks of June focuses the spotlight on you and your affairs. From the 4th to 7th, and to lesser degree from the 8th to the 17th, provide interludes when the scales are titled a little in your favor. Vital decisions made now should work out well, perticularly if they carry you toward a cherished objective or cement better relationships. Move toward added contentment and satisfaction in life. Look about your immediate neighborhood for new and worthwhile openings. You must be clear-eyed and not blinded by your own personal desires in order to detect them. Go forward with assurance—but don't interpret this as recklessness. Resolve some problems; care for routine duties; defer important moves (June 1st to 3rd). Following the 21st, you will find pecuniary affairs, purchases, and expenses occupying more of you attention. Between the 21st and 29th you can expect "ups and downs" in the financial situation—which may be abruptly favorable or unfavorable to you. Keep your head and don't be driven by the exigencies of the moment to steps which calm reflection would not approve. You may have to watch your spending; some additional needs may arise, but you may also just "feel lavish." Youngsters or loved ones may also be a source of expense, or make more demands on your time for attention and entertainment. Remain in control of the situation; be practical.

Your Activity Pattern

The first 10 days of June stir matters around your domicile, work center, or in connection, take a firm stand; but let it be without anger or sharp words. Be just and impartial; go straight to the point and state your position—and adhere to it. From the 11th to 15th is conducive to greater physical and mental activity. Get out into the open; do some walking or indulge in other forms of exercise and/or sports. Step more warily after the 15th, especially *re* love, money, physical safety and conditioning.

Influence of Your Planetary Regent

The first two weeks of June can be profitably employed so "set your house in order" where paper work, correspondence, ledgers, documents are concerned. A quick eye may find errors to correct, "fine print" that you have overlooked before. Don't sign any new agreements; clear up the past. After the 14th you will be drawn more than usual toward intellectual and artistic interests. Your mind will be very active, and your ingenuity at its height from the 24th to 30th. If you wish to further some concept or particular piece of writing, get underway then. "Make haste slowly" when it comes to deciding things or forming opinions, however, from the 14th to 23rd. Sleep on it.

Gemini Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1—VENUS—Home, business, partners, seem snarled in A.M. Restrain temper. P.M. brings financial help behind-the-scenes if you maintain relationships.

Fri.—June 2—PLUTO—Mutual assistance stabilizes basic concerns. Confidential consultations reliable. Steer through vagueness; don't confuse love and money.

Sat.—June 3—PLUTO—Stay cool, focus energies where they are most productive. Problems of fundamental obligations challenge your best. Objectivity prevents hurt feelings.

Sun.—June 4—JUPITER—Long-range interests, sudden lift to resources, excellent support or news from distance, strengthens roots, raises hope. Stick to realities.

Mon.—June 5 — JUPITER — Discount early morning communications—they are not reliable. Tolerance, understanding, cement personal ties. Recreation favored.

Tue.—June 6—SATURN—Business prestige, advancement, money, all enhanced today if you sense the favorable tide, and are moderate in self-assertion.

Wed.—June 7—SATURN — If uncertainties disturb your rest, start the day slowly, side-step early morning carelessness. Business consultations O.K., but rashness in home situations has painful repercussions.

Thu.—June 8 — URANUS—A strenuous day. Surprising development possible that reflects on friends and money. Not wise to extend yourself. Atmosphere foggy, uncertain, until 3 P.M. tomorrow.

Fri.—June 9—URANUS—Afternoon fine for personal and group activities. Cultivate friends, do for others, let them see your warm interest.

Sat.—June 10 — URANUS — Objectives much dependent on social ramifications. Be a leader in your sphere, willing to pioneer; take the responsibilities of your station.

Sun.—June 11 — NEPTUNE — Private sources are immensely helpful to business and finance. Loving support possible. Elders benign. No unworthy secrets!

Mon.—June 12—NEPTUNE—As yesterday, to gain substantial help from home and other serious folk. Sign, agree, have confidential understanding.

Tue.—June 13—MARS — Security should be heightened through developments of past few days. Stay in line, concentrate on necessities.

Wed.—June 14—MARS—Home affairs are sobering, demand patience. Cater to elders, accept responsibility. Forget your troubles through mental adventuring.

Thu.—June 15 — MARS — New moon in your sign stresses personal equation for next lunar month. Sharp wits, sensitivity to trend of ideas, broaden your stature with family, associates.

Fri.—June 16—VENUS—Surprising benefits to position and earnings may come your way. Be where luck can find you. Superiors well disposed.

Sat.—June 17 — VENUS — Shrewd business know-how betters finances. Present your ideas privately to the right people.

Sun.—June 18 — MERCURY — Wind up week by pleasure trips, outings with relatives, young people. Generous attitude wins generous response. Help others have a happy day.

Mon.—June 19—MERCURY—You progress by flexing to the ideas of the world you live in. Be alert to new slants, developments; spread your enthusiasm to those near-by, but regard facts.

Tue.—June 20—MOON—Smooth expression of ideas, harmony of mind and body are easier today. Neighbors, intimate associates are appreciative of your good spirits.

Wed.—June 21—MOON—Hold on to yesterday's zest if confronted with entrenched problems of fundamental obligations and security. Restraint and the long view necessary.

Thu.—June 22—MOON—Love may blossom if you didn't disrupt affairs yesterday. Deep seated responsibility still heavy, but affection lightens the load. Caution in everything tonight.

Fri.—June 23—SUN—If worries, uncertainties made a sleepless night and restless day, think things through on an utterly realistic basis. Avoid suspicions, anger; trust those you love.

Sat.—June 24 — SUN—Realism and imaginative comprehension restores harmony. Creative projects, children's affairs, romance, can be furthered.

Sun.—June 25 — MERCURY — Give thought to bettering of your job and profits therefrom through improved skills. Rewards could be surprisingly good and come unsought.

Mon.—June 26 — MERCURY—Energies best concentrated on duties of work and daily necessity. Get along with co-workers; be alert to sudden changes of detail and method.

Tue. — June 27 — VENUS — Feature the other fellow today. Cooperation, tact, sharp perception gain respect of partners, but don't over-rate possibilities. Realism pays.

Wed.—June 28—VENUS—Be certain of your facts, then go ahead. Others are skeptical and need convincing. Don't take stock in promises.

Thu.—June 29—PLUTO—The full moon points up money problems, personal and mutual. Moderate expectation counters possible disappointment. Suppress tempestuous outbursts; bosses are favorable.

Fri.—June 30 — PLUTO — Look within yourself to find more practical ways of using interdependent resources. All values must be cooperative.

Cancer

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born June 22 to July 22

Keynote of the month ahead: You will have some accent on problems and their solution. Hpyer-sensitive awareness of "the still, small voice" is likely. Also you will feel greater sensitivity in general and either full confidence in others or almost complete lack of it at times. The accent shifts after the 21st to your own Sun-Sign, and is felt in your personality and bodily state, individual attractiveness, and those interests which primarily affect you as a person. Rely on powers above yourself as well as your own inner resources, and tackle necessities with courage and confidence. Make clear to yourself what you want to attain. Keep eyes and ears open for the direction in which "the wind blows," and act with discretion.

Timing Your Efforts

You should be able to settle some pending matters satisfactorily from the 4th to the 17th. Clear up what has been hanging on for some time. Tidy up your desk, since you are heading toward a period when you will want to give your attention to new business. If you need advice or aid, you will find it closer at hand than usually. Shun the tendency to take on other people's worries or to get "all strung up" over your own, from the 17th to 21st. Keep a cool head and you can handle the situation without too much difficulty. The Sun is with Uranus in your sign after June 21st. This combination should bring you and your projects into the center of the stage, but it is up to you whether for profit or loss. There is something reckless and unpredictable inherent in the conjunction of Sun and Uranus, especially since Mars squares them (June 24th to 29th). Thus you will do well to move carefully, testing every step before you take it. Make sure you have not overlooked anything that might trip you up later. Also take stock of conditions as they now exist and see how you can turn them to account, rather than make changes of importance.

Your Activity Cycle

Occupy your time fully with commercial, clerical, or minor activities until the 11th. Bring your correspondence up to date. Get on a better basis of understanding with companions and find out more satisfactory ways to embody your ambitions. Put stress on commonsense, down-to-earth matters. Get out more, visit those near at hand and short distances away; write articles or letters you have been putting off. Don't let obstacles deter you from forging ahead along lines that interest you Do some "detective work" and find out all the necessary data about proposed ventures. Subsequent to the 11th, Mars will keep things moving in dwelling or office. This can mean progress if you do not yield to rash impluses. Respect others' rights as carefully as your own. However, with this energetic planet in a hostile sector, it is no period to be hasty or try to cover too much ground. People and situations can be very vexatious, and delays can cause you to lose valuable time. Others are not likely to lend a hand with good grace, so depend on yourself. The best term for accomplishing anything of importance in your domestic or work milieu is between the 11th and 15th. You can put forth considerable effort and originality then.

The Social Picture

Gregarious concerns occupy an important place until June 27th. Friendships, groups, dealings with relatives and/or visitors will be apt to take considerable time and attention. Use moderation, however, and don't allow devotion to fun to deplete your purse and take your mind off duty. You may have to offset a trend toward quarreling and discontent around June 15th. It can pass without any bad effects if you remain undisturbed in mind and purse. The rest of this cycle is largely favorable and you can have an enjoyable time in June if you endeavor to see people and to be friendly.

Cancer Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1 — MERCURY—Concentration on routine in A.M. earns respite later. Seek friends, respond constructively to the unexpected even if dazed.

Fri.—June 2 — VENUS—Advertise, promote yourself through diplomatic, mature handling of personal contacts. Steer through vagaries of afternoon to profit by practical decisions, agreements, later.

Sat.—June 3 — VENUS — Forego excitement, waste of energies to requirements of fundamentals. Unexpected emergencies need all your attention. Temporary lack of funds cannot spoil genuine friendships.

Sun.—June 4—PLUTO—Friends provide a real lift; behind-the-scene help benefits those with high hope and faith.

Mon.—June 5—PLUTO—Disregard news, talk, of early morning. Strengthen family and home affairs by unselfish devotion. Make decisions, agreements.

Tue.—June 6—JUPITER—Fine day for almost everything. Relax, open your mind and heart, broaden concepts and understanding to attract love.

Wed.—June 7—JUPITER—If you are innerly steady you perceive opportunities, even if remote. Friends point out wider horizons. Discuss ideas, promote objectives.

Thu.—June 8—SATURN—Important developments need common-sense appraisal of your position. Tie up loose ends, be ready for what comes. Uranus is in your sun sign. Changes are certain.

Fri.—June 9 — SATURN — Problems of security can be solved by positive thinking. Be in tune with your era where nothing is certain. A friendly commendation in private restores confidence. Go ahead.

Sat.—June 10—SATURN—Business reputation, relations with superiors important. Prove your worth by willingness to pioneer, experiment, take a chance.

Sun.—June 11 — URANUS — Group and personal affiliations provide opportunities. Objectives seem realizable. Social life, romance, excellent.

Mon.—June 12 — URANUS — Adult attitudes strengthen association. An older woman in your environment may be helpful in fundamental problems.

Tue.—June 13 — NEPTUNE — News or communications from friends makes inner elation. Important developments are just around the corner, but need further nurturing.

Wed.—June 14 — NEPTUNE — Serious probing, sudden intuitive grasp, reveal methods to harmonize family relationships, improve money situation.

Thu.—June 15—NEPTUNE—New moon focuses consciousness on behind-the-scene circumstances. Use sharpened perception to better understand friends. Good day to keep to yourself, think things over.

Fri.—June 16—MARS—Future potentialities may flash on your horizon. Keep tense nerves controlled, seek and recognize opportunity. Speak up.

Sat.—June 17—MARS—Do things yourself, people will like you today. Extend good will to others. Catch up on neglected odd jobs.

Sun.—June 18—VENUS—Do some constructive thinking on your day off on problems of earnings and resources, if any. Seek advice, respond to new suggestions.

Mon.—June 19 — VENUS — The good counsel of yesterday should bear fruit today. Lean on original and progressive ideas for financial gain, but be sure you know your facts.

Tue.—June 20—MERCURY—Private discussions, display of genuine skills improve money situation. Keep practical, steady, but give inspiration a whirl.

Wed.—June 21—MERCURY—Today you may retreat into your shell wondering if steps recently taken are really strengthening. You must go forward; even a crab moves ahead.

Thu.—June 22—MERCURY—A little fun today with friends, neighbors, dispels gloom. Go out, make contacts, do things differently. But stop short of fatigue.

Fri.—June 23 — MOON — If you can't sleep get up early and work—there is plenty to do. Home affairs may be confusing. Avoid pessimism—the fog will soon lift. Late hours disruptive, accidental.

Sat.—June 24—MOON—Renew faith to lighten load of basic obligations. Your greatest security is within, as you know. Good day to strengthen inner forces.

Sun.—June 25—SUN—Today is your day for romance, recreation, happiness through children. Distant opportunities brighten prospects, restore confidence.

Mon.—June 26 — SUN — Finish creative job, entertain, gain inner satisfaction by doing things for children, making others happy.

Tue.—June 27—MERCURY—Your daily work, whether at home, office, or school, is exciting, demanding. Make haste slowly or you will have jobs to do over.

Wed.—June 28 — MERCURY—A routine day where much can be accomplished if you don't let erratic ideas get the upper hand. Be chary of sudden news, avoid gossip.

Thu.—June 29 — VENUS—Diplomacy is of the essence, with the full moon in your 7th house. Excitement at home and with partners spells a hectic day. Much can be consolidated if you are in control.

Fri.—June 30 — VENUS — You probably made strides yesterday. Build the best into that inner structure which means so much to your security.

Leo

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born July 23 to August 23

Keynote of the month ahead: Previous to the 21st you can look for more activity than usual in your department of pals, business income, and heart's desires. There is an accent also on dilemmas and their denouement, your inner monitor and your unawakened self, and courage and confidence or the lack of it. If you can develop a feeling of assurance and conviction that you are able to accomplish what you wish, you can make progress toward your goals. Share your plans with well-wishers; keep in touch with those who can help you on your way. Whether fortune favors you or not depends to some extent on whether you are ready for it. Don't feel that all you have to do is to dream and "let lucky things happen;" you have to get busy and work for what you want, too. Steer clear of easily hurt feelings or irritability; remain in control of your poise, sunny disposition, and bank account.

Timing Your Efforts

From June 4th to 17th you should be able to make profitable contacts and take a more comprehensive view of your future. Make the convivial aspect of life contribute to the promotion of overall goals. Get to know more people. You may need to check impulses to handle money or possessions unwisely prior to June 3rd and after the 17th. Try to settle up uncompleted deals following June 21st. Your chief gain now will be along lines of inner clarification and comprehension of influences which shape and direct your course. "See yourself as others see you" and remold your character nearer to your ideal. Talk matters over unostentatiously with persons in a position to understand and give you a lift. However, don't shift your objectives till you bewilder and antagonize people. Try to stay free from anxiety which could lower your vitality.

Your Activity Pattern

The material side of life will be prominent in your affairs until June 11th. Belongings, sales and purchases, earnings from physical or mental labor, will figure largely in your scheme of things. You should be able to judge values accurately and take advantage of them. But be wary about obligating yourself more heavily than you should; don't look to others to help you out if you spend too freely. Following June 11th you will be inclined to turn more attention to relationships with representatives, kin, and persons nearby. From the 11th to the 15th you will be unusually receptive to up-to-date ways and means, original concepts. Get busy with those articles, stories, important letters, etc., which you have been meaning to write. Arrange interviews; draw up agreements. After the 15th, more tact will be needed with those groups of people just mentioned (relatives, agents, neighbors) and greater care in travel.

The Social Picture

Venus is in the practical sign of Taurus until June 27th, in an angle touching on your ambitions, business, career, and parental interests. You will find it necessary to "stay on the job" rather closely. Criticism from higher-ups and others can have a constructive side to it. Try to find something helpful in whatever comes your way and be willing to accept hints for improving your work previous to the 12th. Be cautious about initiating revisions, either because of pique or ambition following this date. Don't try to push sentimental inclinations to a conclusion, nor do anything which may affect your standing with others adversely. You may feel hurt or offended at times because it seems you do the work and others get the credit; but try to correct such an attitude. Eventually good effort will be recompensed and you will receive what you merit. Prior to the 12th also favors mixing business with pleasure. Entertain higher-ups and accept similar invitations. Make the best use of these first twelve days to raise yourself in the estimation of those who are important in your scheme of things. Be the perfect host or hostess; exercise your ability to attract good will.

Leo Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1—SUN—Overlook exasperations of A.M.; capitalize on good will, luck in daily work for those alert to sudden developments.

Fri.—June 2 — MERCURY — Daily work and money fortunately related, particularly if you have earned rewards. Keep obscure situations out of routine; improve business, prestige, through agreements, contracts, etc.

Sat.—June 3—MERCURY—Channel energies on daily requirements, flex to unexpected. Keep personalities out of business. If friends involved with money bring pain, learn your lesson.

Sun.—June 4—VENUS—Today you can restore harmony with partners and associates; diplomacy improves standing. Remain objective; promises easier made than kept.

Mon.—June 5—VENUS—Continue developments that feature the other fellow. Work quietly. Friends seek you, bring inner lift.

Tue.—June 6—PLUTO—A lucky break, raise, gift, unexpected collection possible. Good time to ask for needed loan, support. Moderation prevents later worries.

Wed. — June 7 — PLUTO — Even if you wake up tired, be thankful for blessings, share your warm-heartedness. You may seal that contract, agreement today.

Thu.—June 8—JUPITER—Your mind can lead you far afield when you should be concentrating. Better suppress sudden erratic urges or you will waste the day.

Fri.—June 9 — JUPITER — Strenuous efforts to concentrate saves confusion in details, delay in communications. 3 P.M. on is fine for group interests on intellectual level.

Sat.—June 10—JUPITER—Pleasant weekend, particularly for trips, new contracts, broader vistas. Those at home gain by new mentally stimulating interests.

Sun.—June 11—SATURN—This Sunday's social activities could bring beneficial results in love, money, business. Superiors favor you. Be modest.

Mon. — June 12 — SATURN — Your own worth, favor of elders, strengthens finances. The more you are part of your era, the more your opportunity.

Tue.—June 13—SATURN — Early morning news favors business ventures; papers signed beneficial. From noon on, friends may distract. Energies tend to diffuse. Concentrate.

Wed.—June 14—URANUS — Better stick to your work, discharge duties, community obligations. Afternoon inspirational insights reveal you to yourself.

Thu.—June 15—URANUS—New moon in 11th stresses group activities. Friends have exhilerating ideas. Make most of broader social possibilities.

Fri.—June 16—NEPTUNE — Sudden developments behind-the-scenes, your own unaccountable urges, challenge equilibrium. Events may hold unsuspected opportunity. Consolidate what comes your way.

Sat.—June 17 — NEPTUNE — Follow up private business advantages. Good will from quiet sources supports your efforts. Think ahead.

Sun.—June 18—MARS—The limelight is yours. People notice you and how you love it! Enjoy Sunday with neighbors, young people, witty friends.

Mon.—June 19—MARS—Today you find out to what extent your thinking is in tune with the times. Give your wits a workout, respond to today's challenge or take a back seat. Avoid touchiness.

Tue.—June 20—MARS—Maybe you have doubt about yesterday, but by noon you are riding high again, sure you have added to foundations, happy in approbation of friends.

Wed.—June 21—VENUS—Money matters unexpectedly pose heavy problems. Early morning ideas are half-baked; only well-thought-out plans are workable.

Thu.—June 22—VENUS — Superiors can be approached with benefit to earnings. Perhaps your position has better potentialities than you realize.

Fri.—June 23—MERCURY—A tricky day. Much is not what it seems. Erratic ideas, confusion, unstable thinking, brooding, are unprofitable. Late hours dangerous; take it easy.

Sat.—June 24—MERCURY—News, communications, give you a lift, but be sure of facts. Concentration on details helps you get a lot done.

Sun.—June 25—MOON—Sunday consultations with family can straighten out much through private financial support. Opportunity is right at home; be thankful.

Mon.—June 26—MOON—Plan ahead on yesterday's resolves. Keep security in mind; be alert to trends of day.

Tue.—June 27—SUN—You can be more yourself today. Seek recreation, romance, but squelch extravagance. Financial situation must be considered.

Wed.—June 28—SUN—Advertise yourself and your wares, write letters, pursue contacts that aid self-expressive projects.

Thu.—June 29—MERCURY — Your job, duties have unexpected pressures, sudden opportunities, sudden terminations. Financial credit available but excitement high. Watch temper.

Fri.—June 30—MERCURY—Pick up the pieces, adjust to changes. Give daily necessity the benefit of new slants. Improve working techniques.

Virgo

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born August 24 to September 23

Keynote of the month ahead: Up to the 21st you should see some changes in the trend of your ambitions, business, or career interests or parental matters. Dealings wih superiors or other persons of importance in your affairs, as well as credit, will also be affected. You can make estimable headway if you are quick to size up the possibilities of a given situation. Take part in only sound projects which may base your financial future and that of your loved ones more securely. Stand by your principles and act on them. Adopt a constructive attitude toward older people who may influence your course of events. Overcome any impulses to criticize others; you may be right, but that won't make it "any easier to take." Be more tolerant, too, of your own failings while you are trying to master them. Keep your opinions flexible; be glad to accept obligations which are right and just. Remember that the heart has its share in your success; be considerate and understanding.

Timing Your Efforts

Between June 4th and 17th you should make the most of every opening to get ahead in your material affairs. If no chance for progress comes to you, then study how to create it. Be quiet in your efforts to move ahead; avoid treading on toes. Be careful not to elbow anybody else out of the picture in the process. Hold yourself more than ready to give the other party his due if you wish to profit fully yourself. Whatever is undertaken now, as well as the returns from it, should be built upon for permanent stability. From June 1st to 3rd you may have to dissociate yourself from a tendency to worry unduly. Higher-ups may be hard to get along with, but do your best to please them. Those things which you have longed for of a personal nature are stressed after June 21st. Friends and cohorts can be helpful. However, they can also be the avenue through which extravagant and reckless influences operate. Maintain a wide-awake policy here. Be generous—but chiefly with time and the intangible values. Keep cost of diversion to a minimum.

Your Activity Pattern

Previous to the 11th, a trend operates to make you more courageous and willing to strike out for what you want. Your impulses will be likely to rule you more than ordinarily. Be sure you are not carried beyond your depth by their intensity. Don't let the feeling of greater independence and self-reliance "go to your head." Neutralize the negative side of this influence which would make you "temperish." Think of the other fellow first. Use the heightened energy of this period to help you champion "the under dog" and fight for right causes. The span following the 11th tends to bring about new developments in money matters. You will be able to "up" the cash intake—but you will also have a strong desire to increase the outgo. Strike a balance, or you will come out the loser. Take your time and don't rush into things or try to force conclusions. Haste might prove expensive.

The Social Picture

For the first 12 days of June your enjoyments can be enhanced if they are connected with events or persons at a distance, journeys, or relatives by marriage. Make up your mind about your affections now. Get in touch with a larger circle and take part in simple festivities, perhaps in a religious group or philanthropic organization. Some of those you meet now may have a very definite influence on the course of your life. Go ahead and put yourself in the way of those you want to know, whether for business or sentimental reasons. From the 13th to 27th go slow and review what you have done; keep clear of "heart complications." Venus, planet of sociability, is prominent in your solar map for June. Avail yourself of its influence toward courtesy, consideration and charm.

Virgo Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1—MOON—Preserve peace at home in A. M.; consider fundamentals. Romance, recreation in P. M. good, if security factors are not jeopardized.

Fri.—June 2—SUN—If you are realistic, mature about money and romance, the day favors personal pleasure, self-expression.

Sat.—June 3 — SUN — Concentrate to get duties finished, stabilize personal situations. Your job, prestige, need full attention. Use tact with superiors.

Sun.—June 4—MERCURY — Today buys a respite from yesterday's stresses. Clever friends offer ideas. Dig deep to find means for advancement, better earnings. Routine important.

Mon.—June 5 — MERCURY — You command attention on the job through fine skills, initiative, understanding of bosses, that may better finances.

Tue.—June 6—VENUS—Consolidate good will of others. This is your lucky day. Cooperation, tact, broadens scope of your opportunities. Be realistic in appraisal of possibilities.

Wed.—June 7—VENUS—Suppress doubts of early morning. Be an opportunist, step out, develop prospects, handle others diplomatically.

Thu.—June 8—PLUTO—Be prepared for unexpected fluctuations, sudden demands on mutual funds. Restrain your own unpredictable urges.

Fri.—June 9—PLUTO—Money questions still obscure. Be sure you know what you are doing. After 3 P. M. hunches, clever insights help solve problems.

Sat. — June 10 — PLUTO — Routine day. Work on solutions of yesterday to improve cooperative interests, but be aware of fundamental requirements.

Sun.—June 11—JUPITER—Have fun today. Take trips, visit, enjoy romance, recreation—all things most pleasurable to you.

Mon.—June 12—JUPITER — Today continues yesterday's overtones of happiness. Stability of emotions, substantial help seem related to distant prospects or people. Mature romance can be cultivated.

Tues.—June 13 — JUPITER — Determine early to give full attention to demands of position, bosses, or you will waste energies, resources. Restrain over-confidence.

Wed.—June 14 — SATURN — Take hard work in stride, tackle details. Superiors are open to progressive, broadly applicable ideas that improve earnings.

Thu.—June 15—SATURN—The Moon in your 10th highlights position, career, prestige, for the lunar month. Clever skills make resources more valuable. Be alert.

Fri.—June 16—URANUS—Surprising developments early may lead to important, fortunate contacts. Friends provide opportunities. Follow through.

Sat.—June 17—URANUS—Work on yesterday's openings. Originality, diverse aptitudes, increase your value. Widen social periphery.

Sun.—June 18—NEPTUNE—Work quietly on details. Dig within for new methods, procedures. Behind-the-scene developments have future value.

Mon.—June 19—NEPTUNE — Intuitions reveal depths of originality you didn't suspect you possess. Trust yourself—strengthen inner bulwarks.

Tue.—June 20—NEPTUNE — Today you may be able to prove that your inventiveness has real commercial value. Present ideas privately, flex to necessary changes.

Wed.—June 21 — MARS — Perhaps ideas need revision before they can be utilized. The hard work you have done has lasting value; don't yield to self-doubt.

Thu.—June 22—MARS — Affection comes to you, perhaps from someone far away, and raises your spirits. Consider personal angles.

Fri.—June 23—VENUS—Expenses mount unexpectedly, are worrisome. Think through financial problems, face facts, avoid self-deception. Late hours disruptive, watch friends and money.

Sat.—June 24—VENUS—Settle accounts, find ways to mend holes left by yesterday's sudden drains. Routine best.

Sun.—June 25—MERCURY—Social factors, business and neighborly, important. Care of details at hand leads to better relationships, opportunities. Step out.

Mon.—June 26—MERCURY — Carry on. Use inventive, original skills to facilitate routine. Take care of details. You can get a lot done.

Tue.—June 27—MOON—Piled up tasks at home or base of operations keeps you busy. Use energies constructively—one thing at a time. Better call it a day early.

Wed.—June 28—MOON—Problems of security, parental obligations are handled best through probing within yourself. Late afternoon on, take no stock in idle talk, promises.

Thu.—June 29—SUN—Full Moon spotlights pleasure urges. Established relationships; business and social, more reliable than glamorous situation and personalities. Affairs of children may require serious decisions.

Fri.—June 30—SUN—Build harmony with loved ones. Find joy in cementing familiar ties. Creative talents can be improved by steady good work.

Libra

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born September 24 to October 23

Keynote of the month ahead: The general effect of this period to the 21st is expansive — enlarged planning and prospects, journeys, widened mental views and grasp of philosophical and religious subjects. Later in the month you may discover an accent affecting your business standing, or your status as a borrower or lender. Develop a deeper interest in those about you and the world at large, understand them and yourself better, and realize the value of true friendships. Work together with others to bring out the best that is in all of you. Be steady so that people can rely on you. Be outgoing, especially toward individuals whose interests and standards are similar to yours, and who can help you reach your goals. Practice diplomacy and self-control. Be frugal where the exchequer is concerned. Stand on your own feet—but don't let others do so.

Timing Your Efforts

From June 4th to 17th it seems likely that your concerns will progress happily, particularly your plans, trips, arrangements for securing information, and for the future. Your judgment will be good, you can take a clear overall view and choose your path wisely. Widen your field of operations; contact persons or places at a distance. Get on a workable understanding with religious (or similar) groups, schools, or the law. People of culture favor you; learn something from your association with them.

From June 1st to 3rd, however, don't try to live in cloud castles; fulfil your tasks even though it goes against the grain. Duties must not be postponed, certainly not if your living depends on your job. Check your hygienic schedule and improve it if advisable. You may not seem to be making much progress forward, but you can protect previous gains. Allow extra time enroute to cover possible delays. Ambitions, commercial dealings, contacts with higher-ups are activated after June 21st. But the situation will not lack impediments unless you are giving it considerable tactful direction. The Sun and Uranus in your tenth angle will fill you with a desire to get things done more quickly, while actual sound advancement can be irritatingly slow. Pay more attention therefore, to constructive reactions to what transpires rather than stressing immediate results. Get about, and make practical use of associations and local doings which you take part in; improve your standing.

Your Activity Cycle

There will be an energizing of dilemmas, secret and confidential interests from June 1st to 11th. In all probability most of them will be connected with what has gone before. The aspects now operating urge that you clear the slate of all items large or small still waiting to be finished. Matters will shape up much better for the coming cycle if you are thorough about this. Don't talk about what you intend to do. Avoid jealousy and antagonism, and be alert to the threat inherent in gloomy, isolated, hidden locales. You will be apt to feel better and more full of energy after June 11th. In fact, you may be inclined to leave the beaten track of your usual activities and take impulsive chances. Feelings are intensified and you may have trouble holding them in check. You are likely to think more about yourself and your desires than usual. Watch your words and acts, and avoid emotional upsets. It takes a calm and disciplined spirit to express all the fine things inherent in your nature.

Influence of your Planetary Ruler

You should give some thought to how you can develop the magnetic, charming, resourceful side of you from June 1st to 12th. Bookkeeping, money and assets can be profitably attended to then. Following the 12th, don't mix finances and friendship. In fact, keep your purse strings tied more tightly than usual.

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Thu.—June 1 — MERCURY — Surprising revelations may bring sweeping effects on home, business. Keep steady, be in control. Finances favored.

Fri.—June 2 — MOON — Confidential sources, parents, help you maintain harmony, preserve fundamentals. Think past your own confusion to find the answers.

Sat.—June 3—MOON—You are carrying a big load of worry, uncertainty and veer from high confidence to despair. Keep to yourself today; maintain equilibrium.

Sun.—June 4—SUN—Now you have more vigor to express your real self. Inspiration is on tap to improve all contacts. Creative work, cooperative ventures, fine.

Mon.—June 5—SUN—Disregard talk, messages, about money in A.M.—it is valueless. Seek wider sources of understanding through philosophy, religion, music. Let things come to you.

Tue.—June 6—MERCURY—Opportunity lies in your everyday work, at home, office or school. Go after what you want—luck is with you. Rest in evening.

Wed.—June 7—MERCURY — A cheerful start makes another day when necessary tasks are pleasant, co-workers cheerful, financial prospects good.

Thu.—June 8—MARS—It's easy for you to be diplomatic so feature that today in handling others. Be flexible if surprises arise.

Fri.—June 9—MARS—Think through confusions. The other fellow can't see straight either. Realistic friends help you see fundamentals. Talk things over.

Sat.—June 10—MARS—Routine day but let other fellow follow lead. Try another angle. If you can combine business and pleasure so much the better.

Sun.—June 11—PLUTO—Lucky day for money matters. Ask for that raise, strengthen joint accounts, make financial plans. Gifts, pleasant surprises likely.

Mon.—June 12—PLUTO—Continue quietly along yesterday's lines. Elders, confidential ties offer strong support.

Tue.—June 13—PLUTO—A resurgence of energy starts day on high. Concentrate for best results or you will over-estimate and have a let-down.

Wed.—June 14—JUPITER—May as well wind up details before the new Moon. Probe within yourself, seek inspirational guidance for more comprehensive understanding.

Thu.—June 15 — JUPITER — News from distance, sharpened insights, are valuable. Use heightened perception to go after what you want. Higher studies helpful.

Fri.—June 16 — SATURN — Problems of prestige, relations with superiors need careful steering. The unpredictable quite possible. Luck is in your daily work.

Sat.—June 17—SATURN — Bosses receptive. Be aware of responsibilities of position, show skill in management, mental grasp and agility.

Sun.—June 18—SATURN—A good Sunday to catch up on details, write letters, attend to obligations. You may hear pleasantly from friends.

Mon.—June 19—URANUS—Your awareness of group interests and trends of the day strengthens objectives. Be sure that your interest is real and not a pose.

Tue.—June 20 — URANUS — Friendliness receives favors of superiors, advances you in your circle. Make most of contacts before 2 P. M.

Wed.—June 21—NEPTUNE — Seclusion, self-analysis, deepens understanding, solves puzzling problems. You may require more rest today. Keep faith, refuse to brood.

Thu. — June 22 — NEPTUNE — Private sources may provide powerful aid. Affection plays a big part in today's contacts. Late hours disruptive; early to bed advisable.

Fri.—June 23—MARS—The spotlight is on you today. Do things personally, show generous spirit. Be reliable, neither suspicious nor gullible. Late hours need caution in everything.

Sat. — June 24 — MARS — Inspiration of early morning should be your guide. Personal contacts best. No intermediates should be used today.

Sun.—June 25 — VENUS — Earnings are under fine influences. Plan today how you will make best use of excellent financial possibilities tomorrow.

Mon.—June 26—VENUS—Follow through on yesterday's plans to advance earnings. You may get that raise now. Develop resources, study, be alert to new methods, procedures.

Tue.—June 27—VENUS—Details require strict attention, benefit from concentration. Over-confidence results in errors. Be steady, careful.

Wed.—June 28—MERCURY — Plenty of activity in environment gives you a lift. Your sphere is narrow today, but exciting. Be skeptical of news, promises.

Thu.—June 29—MERCURY—Drastic decisions may affect both home and business. Adjust to necessary changes. Restrain rashness in personal situations to make most of genuine opportunities in daily job.

Fri.—June 30—MOON—The pieces fall in place today. Stay by yourself to get re-orientated. Seek foundations you can count on.

Scorpio

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born October 24 to November 22

***Keynote of the month ahead*:** Joint monetary undertakings, mutual assets, endowments, past-due payments and what is shared with you are all likely to come into greater than normal prominence before June 21st. Afterward you may experience considerable revision of plans, undertake or cancel journeys, and adopt a broader view of what constitutes achievement or a right status. Work shoulder to shoulder with others, and adjust to circumstances or people as they are—not always, perhaps, as you would *like* to have them. Use discretion in financial deals. Try to get the strictly personal angle out of the picture when you have to make up your mind hastily in matters of moment. Don't cause or encourage inharmony by narrow-minded attitudes or selfishness. Shy away from doing things which would make people think less of you, and get enough rest for the sake of your physical wellbeing.

Timing Your Efforts

Make a point of shared savings from June 4th to 17th. And be sure you miss no opportunity to follow up openings which other persons offer you. Turn to account whatever you have on hand, both tangible and intangible resources. Economize and build up your savings account; get some returns from what you have entered into with others. Try to find your way out of existing quandries; pay debts or collect outstanding money. Don't overestimate your share, and refuse to take any more. Put off making or seeking loans at this time. Play safe; save money, energy.

Some events which happen far off will touch you after June 21st. This may take the form of a trip or an important communication; or perhaps someone will come to see you. Don't be disappointed if you do not get the thrill you expected out of the places you visit or the people you entertain. Keep the plans for both of these quite uncomplicated, and adaptable to change.

Your Activity Pattern

Mars, prior to the 11th, will turn your heightened zeal toward altruistic ventures, friendship, organizations, etc. Some of the people you become acquainted with now will be fine, courageous individuals with high ideals. You can expect a rather stirring chain of happenings connected with associates. The attention of your companions in general will turn toward greater activity, possibly in connection with outdoor games, sports, and fun. You may have to keep your feet firmly on the ground during this term. Some of your consociates will need a steadying hand on the rein to prevent their venturing too far, too fast! The planet of activity is apt to incite undercurrents—not all of which are in your favor—unless you take firm steps to protect yourself after June 11th. Keep the goodwill of all about you; wipe out old enmity; and make sure that everyone concerned has a right conception of your purposes.

The Social Picture

From June 1st to 12th, you will probably be favorable to the idea of meeting the public in some fashion. You will also be interested in promoting amity among those you contact every day as well as those you rarely communicate with. You can clear the atmosphere with partners (marriage or business) and move ahead with mutual enterprises. Don't be a hermit; others will like you if you give them a chance. Make an earnest effort after the 12th to keep clear of involvements. Be particularly careful about those that could reflect unfavorably on your credit or prestige. If you are asked to accept heavier responsibilities, consider them a chance to grow, rather than a burden. Keep the corners of your mouth turned up; it has a charm for those you meet. Recent acquaintances will be apt to appeal to you strongly, perhaps too much so. Attend some outdoor events of the season with enjoyable, worthwhile companions. Have an eye for the physical and financial end and don't overdo.

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Thu.—June 1 — VENUS — Controlled energies in A.M. make you master of turbulent situations that affect money. P. M. promotes better understanding with partners and associates if you are open to radical suggestions for better planning.

Fri.—June 2—MERCURY—Quiet, serious thinking will help you erase cobwebs from your mind, see the inner values in your immediate surroundings.

Sat.—June 3—MERCURY—Active social life, energetic friends enliven a day when serious undercurrents could prove worrisome. Sidestep hurt feelings, resentment, by realistic re-evaluation of money situations involved with friends.

Sun. — June 4 — MOON — Home is your haven today. Do for others, share good spirits. Private understandings strengthen joint interests and foundations.

Mon.—June 5—MOON—Early morning, be patient, don't say things you will be sorry for. Make new starts that benefit entrenched obligations. Rely on inner guidance.

Tue. — June 6 — SUN — Romance should blossom, affairs of children bring satisfaction, creative work win recognition on this lucky day. Inspiration high.

Wed.—June 7—SUN—Much like yesterday, particularly if you were sober on all levels last night. Early morning realizations heart-warming. Seek agreements, understandings, with partners.

Thu —June 8—SUN—Keep steady on job, whatever it may be. Be aware of security factors. Be sure your inspirational ideas are worth while, not erratic.

Fri. — June 9 — MERCURY — Activity surges in employment and working situations. Don't get involved in obscurities that spring up suddenly. Progressive bosses are receptive to new ideas that improve work.

Sat.—June 10—MERCURY — Seek peace and harmony with co-workers and in details of necessity. Good day to check on health needs, shop for staples and the ordinary substances of life.

Sun.—June 11—VENUS—Luck will find you, especially if you let the other fellow have his way and learn what you can from his methods. Romance, recreation, preference of others, bring unsought benefits.

Mon. — June 12 — VENUS — Continue to keep your best foot forward in personal relations. Cooperation brings substantial respect, recognition from those who count.

Tues.—June 13—VENUS—Early morning news facilitates agreements, decisions. Energies tend to diffusion unless you keep your eye on the ball. Avoid over-confidence; financial realities important.

Wed. — June 14 — PLUTO — Formulate plans that give support to joint projects and funds. Hunches should be excellent and win approval of those in authority.

Thu.—June 15—PLUTO—New Moon in 8th points up interdependent factors for next lunar month. Hidden uncertainties can trip you up financially if you take chances.

Fri.—June 16 — JUPITER — Tune in on new viewpoints, be receptive to philosophic concepts that broaden your understanding. What you think today has much scope of opportunities.

Sat. — June 17 — JUPITER — A cheerful morning helps you start the day with full appreciation of what is basically worth while in your life. Horizons widen.

Sun.—June 18—JUPITER—Your place in the world, your standing with superiors can benefit by your alertness to sudden changes, willingness to consider innovations.

Mon.—June 19—SATURN—Responsibilities are serious but carry the rewards of authority. The trends of your era must be considered. Move with the times but be sure of facts.

Tue.—June 20—SATURN — Like yesterday. Improve your position, not aggressively but because you've earned what comes your way. Quiet conferences strengthen cooperative interests.

Wed.—June 21—URANUS—Power urges are strong today. You can have all the responsibility you want but you will have to stay with what you take on. Leadership has a price, as well as rewards.

Thu.—June 22 — URANUS — Consolidate details of plans, projects, that aid objectives. Do things for your social or community group. Be unselfish, generous in service.

Fri.—June 23 — NEPTUNE — Many new ideas are in your consciousness but need quiet development before presentation. Work quietly, develop seeds, seek inspiration but separate fact from fancy.

Sat. — June 24 — NEPTUNE — Keep to yourself regardless of surge of erratic, perhaps emotional urges. Lean on true insights of early morning.

Sun.—June 25—MARS—Use the personal equation constructively to make best of a really happy Sunday. People notice you, favors are likely and should be accepted graciously, much as you Scorpions love independence.

Mon.—June 26—MARS—Get on the job today. Tackle problems of security, fundamentals, obligations. Be original, aware of modern trends.

Tue. — June 27 — MARS — Finances may have surprising developments that challenge your resourcefulness. Shrewd appraisal of possibilities could make you over-jubilant.

Wed.—June 28—VENUS—A routine day. Awareness of present day economic factors as they reflect on position will help you stabilize finances. Be skeptical of gossip.

Thu.—June 29 — VENUS — Associations, business and romantic, are excellent. However, sudden losses are possible through disruptive speech and acts. Better discharge energies through hard work.

Fri.—June 30—MERCURY — Work hard and make the best of a narrow sphere. Perhaps you are preparing for a holiday weekend and have plenty to do. Stop short of fatigue.

Sagittarius

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born November 23 to December 21

Keynote of the month ahead: Until the 21st, the greatest planetary prominence will be in regard to partners (business or marital), public relationships, and prestige. Later you will need to check on the state of joint money deals, working out of accounts or arrangements set some time ago. Matters concerning presents and/or inheritances may also come up. Opportunities are apt to appear very abruptly, and it may tax your ingenuity to decide whether they are worth following up. Sometimes they may involve going off in a direction you had not contemplated before. Be willing to listen intently, but don't commit yourself until you are satisfied that all is well. Keep your vitality up to par and rise above pettiness. Take a stand against allowing pleasant relationships to be ruptured by temper or inconsiderateness. Don't float in a dreamy haze, nor go to the other extreme and work yourself into a breakdown. Exert some of that inspired judgment for which you are known — see clearly what is before you to do—and have the temerity to tackle it.

Timing Your Efforts

Cooperation, circulation, are the keywords of the interval from June 4th to 17th. Turn the stage over to your associates and let them start things rolling. At times you will gain more by watching than by doing yourself; however you should back up their efforts actively when you have the chance. It is advisable that you slow the pace and make sure of your ground from June 1st to 3rd and 17th to 21st. All may not be smooth sailing at these times. Be tactful in dealings with others; conscientious in handling your responsibilities.

Your bank account or sources of supply can benefit somewhat through mutual helpfulness after June 21st. However, this is not a time of unmixed blessings, so wend your way cautiously. Count the pennies and don't go into debt around the 23rd, 27th, and 29th. Still, it should not be difficult for you to find the answer to any dilemma of this kind which presents itself, since your resourcefulness and considered judgment are good. Pecuniary transactions will likely be encouraging at times, perhaps around the 25th, 30th, and July 1st. This same term may bring you some gift, or profit from the public's purchasing power.

Your Activity Pattern

Until June 11th you are apt to be carrying a chip on your shoulder, trying to make sure that no one steps on your prerogatives or "puts anything over on you." You will accomplish more with less friction if you let your head instead of your impulses direct you. Defer speaking or acting when upset. Treat older people and those in authority with consideration. And don't go looking for something to be hurt or angry about; people seldom mean to offend. Occupy yourself with furthering minor ambitions and practical activities.

The pressure of business or career will probably cut down socializing after June 11th—which is all to the good, since you may have to watch the state of your health or purse. Be selective in your choice of companions. Keep clear of those who would impose on you or try to dominate, or who are always complaining. Check up on your own mannerisms and attitudes, and make sure you are not guilty of what you dislike.

Influence of Your Planetary Regent

Your domicile and its inmates, housing or real estate matters come under Jupiter's sway this month. Prior to the 7th, encourage friends and acquaintances to make your house a meeting place. It may be that in the weeks ahead you will have a strong desire to initiate changes, especially regarding your residence or work center—but act on this only after mature reflection. Parental interests, those in your locale, and the domestic circle may take a disproportionate share of your attention during the first week in June. Straighten out whatever needs it during these seven days, after which table for a time important revisions touching on the matters mentioned in this paragraph.

Sagittarius Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1—MARS—Suppress ego in A. M. You can't afford to antagonize superiors. Self-respect wins good-will of co-workers. Sudden financial flurry needs your self-control.

Fri.—June 2—VENUS — Finances uppermost today. Lean on realistic appraisals of earnings rather than wishful thinking.

Sat. — June 3 — VENUS — You could be lucky in money but not if you spoil advantages through rash self-assertion. Diplomacy with associates, bosses, absolutely necessary. Hold back.

Sun.—June 4—MERCURY—You will find many new ideas and contacts in your immediate neighborhood through relatives and young people. Social life excellent, inspiration high. Find joy in the familiar.

Mon.—June 5—MERCURY—Your ideas can be large-minded even if your sphere is small. Bring inspiration to everyday tasks, routine.

Tue.—June 6 — MOON — Love and luck are right at home. Bolster foundations, cement lasting ties. Preserve what you have by moderation in expectations.

Wed. — June 7 — MOON — The personal equation could be painful early in the morning if you abused the good will around you yesterday. Stick to realism. Do nothing at home or outside to endanger position and roots.

Thu.—June 8—MOON—You have a little more leeway today but can't take too much for granted that depends on others. Recreation, hobbies, ease strains.

Fri.—June 9—SUN—You incline toward independence in romance, individualism in expression. Today, however, harmony with others, willingness to adjust pays big dividends in affection and regard.

Sat.—June 10—SUN—Look on the inner side, find out why you express yourself as you do. If you want to shine before loved ones, be worthy.

Sun.—June 11 — MERCURY — Use high energies to catch up on routine that makes Sunday happy for yourself and others. Plenty of good will and love lightens tasks. Entertain at home.

Mon.—June 12—MERCURY—Something you have been waiting for relating to work, necessities of the job, may come through today. Be grateful for recognition. Bosses appreciate faithful performance.

Tue.—June 13—MERCURY—Early morning news, decisions, will steer you straight when energies mushroom out later on. Be opportunistic, sense your best advantage, but keep diplomatic all the way. Don't overrate possibilities.

Wed.—June 14—VENUS—If you watch your step, defer to bosses, are aware of other fellows' needs you continue yesterday's progress. Friends provide inspiration.

Thu.—June 15—VENUS—New Moon in your 7th brings benefits only to the cooperative. If you think the world is against you, be sure you are against the world. Use wits to preserve balance of relationship.

Fri.—June 16 — PLUTO — Practical outlook, utilitarian grasp of unusual factors in coperative interests helps you strengthen finances. Home folks bring generous support to ventures, particularly if realistic.

Sat.—June 17—PLUTO—Work and the rewards thereof are fortunately aligned. Whatever best enhances growth on every level has potential financial value today.

Sun.—June 18—PLUTO—Visitors from a distance or a trip with the family make a heart-warming Sunday. Friends are gay, spirits high. Enjoy associations. Be magnanimous, simple.

Mon.—June 19—JUPITER—Your natural philosophical flair is attracted by the wide diversity of today's conflicting ideologies. You can gain profound insights, but be sure you know what it is all about.

Tue.—June 20—JUPITER—You can improve business and your opportunities by facility of expression in presenting ideas. Advertise, seek wider horizons, plan ahead.

Wed.—June 21—SATURN — Your prospects may veer sharply today if originally based on unrealistic expectations. Bosses are serious and only your proven worth will bring you consideration. Appreciate what comes your way. Be ready for hard work.

Thu.—June 22—SATURN—Go ahead with business developments of yesterday. Perhaps everything isn't as you would like but there is plenty of good cheer on the job and good will among co-workers. Prove yourself.

Fri.—June 23—URANUS — If you avert early morning erratic displays you can promote objectives through friends. Listen to advice.

Sat.—June 24—URANUS—An active day when early morning's inspiration can be used to better all human contacts. Be friendly, helpful, large-minded.

Sun.—June 25—NEPTUNE—Spend Sunday in quiet ways that strengthen inner forces, make you sure of your roots. Unexpectedly good news from distant places or people is uplifting. Keep ideals high.

Mon.—June 26—NEPTUNE—Private interests can be quietly pursued with benefit. Be alert to the large underlying trends as they affect you innerly. Rely on hunches. Use original methods.

Tue.—June 27—MARS—Do things personally. Make contacts, present ideas that have financial worth, stabilize family. Friends are stimulating, but stay realistic in expectations.

Wed.—June 28—MARS—Work by yourself, be receptive to what comes your way. Try to see things as they affect you personally, in large humanitarian reference. Evening be skeptical of promises, sidestep gossip.

Thu.—June 29—VENUS—Financial problems are involved with friends, need strict control to avoid breaks. Your source of strength and real help is at home.

Fri.—June 30—VENUS—Wind up details that revolve around money, earnings. Be unselfish, generous; avoid "me first."

Capricorn

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born December 22 to January 19

Keynote of the month ahead: Plain, workaday subjects such as daily tasks, physical welfare, work schedule are emphasized prior to the 21st. Partnerships (marriage or business), public affairs, and broadening of interests will be brought into greater notice after this date. Find out how to handle the daily routine so it is less of a burden. Put—or keep—yourself "in the pink." Make it your business to get along well with regular associates, employees. Take a broader outlook on pecuniary affairs and formulate sounder plans. Don't become rebellious when things do not go as you wish; remain calm. Resist the tendency to be uncertain and vague when you should strike straight to the point, or to cling to past beliefs out of habit. Such traits can stand in the way of your advancement.

Timing Your Efforts

Giving more creative and energetic attention to the job will further your career, community for business status, and pecuniary setup from June 4th to 17th. You have the green light to make strides in connection with your work, relationships with superiors and fellow-employees. Tie up loose ends and establish yourself firmly where you are. Almost always Capricornians are good and conscientious workers — you should better that record from June 4th to 17th. Before the former and after the latter date, use a little extra care in your efforts and dealings with co-workers. Employ dietary and health discretion.

Following June 21st, the Sun moves to join Uranus (which is in your house of partnerships for a long stay). It will bring about unexpected happenings, revisions in existing associations and conditions. You should follow a settled routine yourself and thus nullify in some measure the erratic influences operating at this time. Don't contribute to them by starting alterations yourself or "taking off at a tangent" on new paths. You will have your hands full at times just trying to keep things normal, without adding to the confusion. Maintain relationships on a harmonious and mutually-helpful basis.

Your Activity Cycle

Mars is in a propitious angle to your sign prior to June 11th, stimulating preparations for the future. This should start you "hitting on all six," and bring considerable movement in regard to correspondence, trips, and/or tidings. You may find yourself more than ever involved with religious or educational activities, relative-by-law, and others' kin. Go forward with your plans and objectives, and assert your opinions. After the 11th of June, handle people more diplomatically, in particular elders, bosses, and those in positions of authority. You may contemplate alterations in professional and commercial interests—but take no overt action at the present time. "Walk chalk" in your activities—mistakes would cause more trouble than usual. Be patient if things seem to stall; trying to push them would only make matters worse. Consider your words before you utter them, and sleep on your actions. You are likely to hear some "plain truths" from others; if you have the honesty and humility to take them to heart and profit by them, you will grow and mature by so doing. Even though the criticism is only partly true, you can learn from what is, and discount the rest.

Influence of Your Planetary Regent

Saturn, your ruler, is in a favorable sector in regard to your Sun-Sign. Therefore experience and "hold-overs" from the past, matters affecting older people will contribute to your adult attitude and good judgment. Your plans and outlook on life are very important now. Choose your road wisely and avoid difficulties. Move cautiously in regard to travel, distant places and people, also the law.

Capricorn Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1—NEPTUNE—Mental energies burn high; use restraint to master sharp resentments. Afternoon on, good willl, love protects valued relationships. Associations helpful if you are controlled.

Fri. — June 2 — MARS — Your naturally realistic outlook, depth of understanding, aid you to penetrate uncertainties of your position, vagaries of bosses. Be relaxed; let good come to you.

Sat.—June 3—MARS—Step out, do things personally, instigate new projects, make yourself felt. Do one thing at a time, however, or you will waste your day. Evening emotions need care.

Sun.—June 4—VENUS — A happy Sunday, with love close by. Should questions related to work and money arise, discuss with superiors and those interested in your welfare.

Mon. — June 5 — VENUS — Sidestep unworkable ideas involving money and pleasure early A.M. Lean heavily on inspirational factors that aid job, standing with bosses.

Tue.—June 6 — MERCURY — Optimism, happy anticipation, the good will and affection of associates lifts tasks, routine from the humdrum.

Wed.—June 7—MERCURY—The loving support close to you disperses worries that may have kept you awake. Find opportunity close at hand in everyday associates. Use mental skills.

Thu. — June 8 — MOON — Harmony at home best remedy against sudden, erratic tendencies. Let others blow their tops; you remain in command of fundamentals.

Fri.—June 9—MOON—Confusion at home reflects on position and vice versa. Use inner fortitude to see beyond day's obscurities, gain through intelligent discussion of work and joint interests.

Sat.—June 10—MOON—Basic obligations, home and parental problems can bring strain if you overdo, feel put upon. Use energies constructively.

Sun. — June 11 — SUN — Today you are aware of your blessings and should count them. Romance, affairs of children, your own creative projects, recreation, entertainment, all have the green light.

Mon.—June 12—SUN—Express your best self, work along lines that promote your most intimate interests. Favor of elders brings rewards of stability.

Tue.—June 13—MERCURY—Good news starts your working day with a bang. Channel energies constructively or "feeling good" will diffuse forces. Be realistic; over-optimism could bring setback.

Wed.—June 14—MERCURY—Work hard with that single-minded devotion characteristic of your sign and which advances you in position. Hunches improve methods, have financial value.

Thu.—June 15—MERCURY — The lunation stresses importance of work, daily necessity and health matters for one lunar month. Mechanical and mental skills, quick-wittedness, valuable on the job.

Fri.—June 16—VENUS—Take fluctuating situations in personal relationships in your stride. With Uranus in your 7th you must remain steady regardless of what goes on. Unexpected opportunity quite likely.

Sat.—June 17—VENUS—Diplomacy, tact in handling others, the cheerful word, strengthens relationships, brings you favors unsought. Be relaxed, let things come to you.

Sun.—June 18—PLUTO—Your instincts could prove costly today, especially if you are lavish in desire to impress superiors. Should financial issues arise, intelligent discussions may enlighten.

Mon. — June 19 — PLUTO — Unexpected collections, unexpected demands, put finances in the forefront. The more you understand the trends of the times, the more you have to gain, but refuse over-optimism.

Tue.—June 20 — PLUTO — Material concerns of inter-dependent nature are furthered by favor of bosses, mental agility. Consolidate important affairs.

Wed.—June 21—JUPITER — Your mind varies from optimism to caution. You will gain most if you evaluate ideas only on their realistic worth.

Thu.—June 22—JUPITER — Good news, happy expectations, restores confidence, enables you to concentrate on details. Take the long view.

Fri.—June 23 — SATURN — Today could be wearing if you don't command the situation. Use your wits, avoid pessimism and uncertainty, think through problems. Let others blow off. You remain calm.

Sat.—June 24 — SATURN — Early morning hunches relative to work and position reveal path to secure foundations, strengthen prestige. Work hard on necessities.

Sun.—June 25—URANUS—Splendid Sunday for recreation with friends, neighbors, young people. Luck lies close by, opportunity may spring unexpectedly.

Mon.—June 26—URANUS—A factual day to work responsibility. Community and group interests featured. Be large-minded.

Tue.—June 27—NEPTUNE — Important matters go on behind the scenes. Work quietly, keep to yourself, be alert to undercurrents.

Wed.—June 28 — NEPTUNE — You will do better not to press forward, but center forces to make most of inspirational stimulation that deepens your understanding.

Thu.—June 29—MARS—A personally active day when all that has been going on behind the scenes can be favorably concluded. There is luck all around you if you preserve equilibrium, don't antagonize bosses, partners.

Fri.—June 30—MARS—Step out, do things yourself, use the personal touch to advance your own ideas.

Aquarius

Your Guide for June, 1950

For those born January 20 to February 18

Keynote of the month ahead: You should find (prior to the 21st) that your affectionate attachments and social-romantic experiences are highlighted. You can also bring forth latent talents, and venture into new fields of endeavor. Make a sincere attempt to define to yourself the objectives you are aiming for, and do some investigating to find out what is needed to attain them. Leave failure or discouragement behind you and make a fresh beginning. Develop your skills and abilities and perhaps through them get out of your rut and take a wider view of things. Maintain dealings with others on a friendly basis. "Keep your eye on the ball" and don't be lured aside from your real goal by flowery bypaths. Hold yourself to a high code of behavior and self-denial; you cannot yield to vagrant desires and at the same time register accomplishment. Neither should you lend an ear to the chimerical schemes of others. After the 21st your interest will be directed toward more prosaic matters —routine tasks, chores, necessities, clothing, corporeal condition.

Timing Your Efforts

Previous to June 21st, you should give primary attention to self-expression, education, love and loved ones, and divertissements. Take your vacation, have a good time until the 12th and/or devote yourself to some cherished project. Follow pleasant avocations in company with dear ones and youngsters. A sense of freedom should make life more colorful and interesting. You can do many things you previously have not had time, money, or else opportunity for. From the 17th to 21st, you may have to come back temporarily to harsh limitations, especially in the monetary line. Take no chances in this respect, but refrain from becoming too disturbed about it. Recuperate your energies, and take your time about moving in any important matter. After the 21st, you may need to attend to matters which have not been progressing as they should in your work, re necessities or health. "Situations" may arise quickly which call for careful judgment. Be discreet in regard to employment, diet, and physical condition. Stay on an even keel yourself as far as your feelings are concerned, if you want to handle this interlude most successfully.

Your Activity Pattern

The position of Mars determines what is going to call forth your interest and effort at a given time. And prior to the 11th, the scene of "lively doings" will be your 8th house of mutual and joint money matters, accounts, and resources. Exercise finesse in dealing with partners and associates, and be willing to meet them halfway on moot points. If you insist on having things your own way, you can hardly look to gain financially at the same time through others. Should you fail to be tactful, you will stir up enmity where you can least afford to do so. In general however, things are apt to move along quietly enough in this connection, so you should not have too much to meet. Conservatism, economy and resourcefulness will help, however; employ these in your behalf.

Mars is in a constructive mental angle after the 11th, urging that you take up some educational subject, or spend more hours in contemplation of the deeper things of life. You may question tradition and old beliefs now; but make sure you have something to put in their place. Your conceptions are apt to be rather nebulous; the real job is to get them on a workable basis. You may have something to do with far-away locations and people during June, and will penetrate farther into fields you have not hitherto studied deeply. Kinfolk at a distance or related by marriage are likely to figure in your experience. Try to keep relationships harmonious. Be cautious enroute or in contact with the law—don't run a stop-light. You may be disturbed now and then by what you hear—but try not to show it. Revise plans as necessary to meet fluctuating conditions but refrain from forcing issues. Let others take the initiative in this respect.

Aquarius Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1—URANUS — Painful ruptures with friends can be avoided by refusal to take part in angry discussions over money. Seek inner support, affection, at home. Guard health.

Fri.—June 2 — NEPTUNE — Yesterday's ructions perhaps require that you remain quiet today. Elders, your depth of comprehension supporting. Daydreams impractical. Plan ahead quietly.

Sat.—June 3—NEPTUNE—If you anticipate others' financial needs, avoid touchiness with home folks, you will steer constructively through a trend that spends energies fruitlessly. Control needed.

Sun.—June 4—MARS—Today things are happier; you are more objective. Seek and cultivate people, ideas, that inspire and broaden your concepts. Use mental vigor.

Mon.—June 5—MARS—Apply yourself to necessary work. Consider foundations, demands of home, parents. Inspirational guidance available.

Tue.—June 6—VENUS — Finances, earnings benefit through lucky circumstances, affection of home folks. Don't let elation go to your head. Realism necessary. Develop new slants.

Wed.—June 7—VENUS—Sober consideration points out practical, lasting ways to consolidate financial affairs. Warm backing is close by. Discuss plans with home folks.

Thu.—June 8—MERCURY—Start the day quietly, despite surging energies, to maintain best relations with co-workers, routine contacts. Details need attention; conserve physical vitality.

Fri. — June 9 — MERCURY — Circumstances compel you to work in a restricted area. Tasks benefit from concentrated attention, help of progressive partners and friends. Write letters, use your wits.

Sat.—June 10 — MERCURY — Finish up odd jobs; attend to numerous details. Be generous to those close by; feature non-egotistical, impersonal attitudes.

Sun.—June 11—MOON — Home is your haven today; entertain, cultivate those dear to you who are part of your environment and interested in helping you advance.

Mon.—June 12—MOON—Profundity and realism applied to basic problems bring substantial support and sympathy from elders and reliable folk.

Tue. — June 13 — SUN — Early morning news, decisions, papers signed, consolidate foundational interests. Good spirits will yield more if channeled productively. Use brain to promote personally satisfactory ideas, projects, associations. Romance, recreation, favored.

Wed.—June 14—SUN—Creative ventures improve through hard work and realistic consideration of their worth. Broad concepts, awareness of world trends, all important.

Thu.—June 15 — SUN — The lunation in your 5th house stresses the intimate personal angle for a lunar month. You are apt to be more aware of a desire to do things in ways that best express you.

Fri.—June 16—MERCURY—Apply yourself quietly to problems of everyday necessity. Take possible surprises in stride to tune in on luck close by. Consider health requirements, take care of diet.

Sat.—June 17—MERCURY—Work quietly, with good will. Co-workers, working environment, cheerful. "Whistle as you work."

Sun. — June 18 — VENUS — Feature the other fellow. He can do a lot for you. Tact, cooperativeness, bring favors from associates. Have fun talking things over.

Mon.—June 19—VENUS — The world is much with you today since the trends of the times largely influence what you and partner can accomplish. Avoid over-optimistic or too emotional attitudes.

Tue.—June 20—VENUS—Move today to engineer developments important to relationships and self-expression. Partners appreciate your skills, facilities.

Wed.—June 21—PLUTO—Serious financial problems can be tackled if you keep your eye on necessity. Don't let erratic, over-expansive ideas snarl cooperative functioning.

Thu. — June 22 — PLUTO — Mutual concerns benefit from good will of parents, those involved in your base of operations. If you need money or support, ask for it today, but flex to possibly surprising angles.

Fri.—June 23 — JUPITER — Bring your mind down to realities, regardless of green pastures. Worry over finances is not necessary if your expectations, urges, don't get out of hand. Preserve foundations.

Sat. — June 24 — JUPITER — Intuitional ideas direct you to large-minded concepts that bring new light. Take the long view—look to the future; try new philosophic approaches.

Sun.—June 25—SATURN—Use this Sunday to promote yourself through social contacts with those important to your sphere. Entertain at home; combine business with pleasure.

Mon.—June 26—SATURN—Rely on that sure inner hunch that tells you what is best to strengthen and promote your place in the world. Be sensitive to the broad trends that influence business and position.

Tue.—June 27—URANUS—Friends, group and community interests important in projection of objectives. Keen grasp of practical factors, avoidance of over-expansion, strengthen hopes.

Wed.—June 28 — URANUS — Round out details of social factors involved with promotion of ideas. Pleasant day for visits, friendly communion. Sidestep idle chatter.

Thu.—June 29—NEPTUNE—Your desire to push ahead must be tempered by requirements of health. You probably need more rest. Associations are happy if you avoid temperamental clashes with co-workers, those related to daily tasks.

Fri.—June 30—NEPTUNE—Stay behind the scenes, work smoothly, face realistic facts of your own inner urges. You will be healthier if you squelch erratic moods.

Pisces

Your Guide for June, 1950
For those born February 19 to March 20

Keynote of the month ahead: Your domestic, housing interests and family affairs tend to be accented up to the 21st of June. You will also need to think about the foundations of your whole scheme of things, and possible changes. Later, there is more emphasis on skills, native endowments, hobbies, romance, recreation, others' response to you. If revisions in your setup seem necessary, adjust to them without protest; be willing to get out of accepted habits of thought and action and keep up to date. Try to salvage what is good in old methods or opinions to combine with the best of the new. Stay free of friction, especially in the home. Examine your attitudes and see if you are not inviting discord by trying to impose your point of view on those about you. Be saving of cash and strength. Dispatch everyday chores briskly, and eliminate any lurking sense of annoyance because you have to adapt to alterations.

Timing Your Efforts

Move ahead with necessary tasks between June 4th and 17th. Bear down heavily on stability now. Speed of accomplishment is not the main thing, but rather, ability to stand the test of time. Listen to the suggestions of others; they may contribute something of value. Home life and relationships, father and mother or spouse, require consideration during this term. Also give some thought to real estate and the neighborhood. You will find that many tag ends come up to be finished, since this is the period of preparation for a new cycle ahead. Pour your increased "pep" into productive channels; do odds and ends of tasks, work on painting, landscaping, or otherwise adding to the appearance and value of property.

The Sun moves into your 5th house on June 21st, and its influence is heightened by the Full Moon on the 29th. Crises may arise in connection with "the one and only," education, creative or speculative matters, young people and loved ones, or "brain children." In all probability, those you come in contact with will be less vague than heretofore and more ready to make their position clear. "Go easy" where affections are concerned, however; the Sun and Uranus in this sector may key you up to a high pitch. A platonic friendship may suddenly blossom forth into a fervid "life-and-death" interest. Turn the light of reason on this change. Make sure there is something back of it more than your creative urges and physical attraction. Direct your heart with your head. If a bit of good fortune comes along around the 27th or 29th, don't be too complacent about. Contrary influences may bring unpleasant or "unhealthy" repercussions if you are unwary.

Your Activity Cycle

Up to June 11, marital and business partnership, competition, colleagues and the world at large are brought into your experience more than usual. Associates and joint workers are likely to be highly efficient and devoted to your mutual interests at this time; but in return are apt to insist on having their own way. Unless it is a matter of great importance or contrary to your principles, let them "have their day." Lend your whole-hearted support. Near June 11th, however, there is a shift of emphasis, the eventual outcome of which may hang on how quickly you make an adjustment to what transpires. From the 11th to the 15th, the effect is more likely to be beneficial. This is a good time to attend to accounts, joint finances, and savings. Between the 16th and 29th is a period when exigencies may arise involving finances and close pals. Act decisively in the interest of all concerned. Even though this term may not be entirely helpful, it stirs even the most static situations and gives you a chance to do something about them. Make an effort to add to your savings, and recondition what you already have to save buying new things.

Pisces Daily Guide

Thu.—June 1 — SATURN — Personalities shouldn't be allowed to disrupt vital relationships. Don't antagonize bosses. Afternoon, make headway through friends. Unexpected social opportunity has lucky overtones.

Fri.—June 2—URANUS—The demands of your world are softened through friendly attitude, good will of your circle. Be sure you don't fool yourself through hazy ideas relative to friends and money.

Sat.—June 3—URANUS — Channel energies, or you will be everywhere at once. Contacts favorable, exciting. Take care of home demands without resentment in evening; self-pity unworthy.

Sun.—June 4—NEPTUNE—You are apt to withdraw into yourself and miss benefits close at hand. Those at home, neighbors, add warmth, through interest in your basic well-being.

Mon.—June 5 — NEPTUNE—Go out and visit those less fortunate than yourself. Do something for the old, the institutionalized, that gives you a better slant on yourself.

Tue.—June 6—MARS—Today do things of personal meaning. Dress up, keep your best foot forward, attend to financial and family matters. Be open to lucky opportunities.

Wed.—June 7—MARS—The affection of associates, good news in the early morning, bolsters morale. Work quietly to improve yourself. Be alert to ideas, talk things over with those near.

Thu.—June 8—VENUS—Conciliate partners to keep things calm in A.M. Money matters related to children, personal projects, recreation, could have surprising aspects. Take changes in your stride.

Fri. — June 9 — VENUS — Keep realistic where joint interests and funds are on the table. Cooperate. Evening, do things for those at home; entertain, have fun.

Sat.—June 10—VENUS — Earnings benefit from single-hearted application. Use originality, new departures, to develop money-making resources.

Sun.—June 11—MERCURY—Enjoy Sunday with young people, relatives, neighbors. Take short trips, visit. Luck is close at hand and love is all around you.

Mon.—June 12 — MERCURY — Energies apt to be diffused and details wearisome if you are neglectful. Do one thing at a time. Win favor of partners, elders, who appreciate your efforts.

Tue.—June 13—MOON—A letter or message this morning gives you a lift that should last through the day. Duties at home seem lighter, but expenditures for necessities tend to extravagance. Consider security.

Wed.—June 14—MOON—Home responsibilities, confrontations, could be wearing. Seek inner guidance, dig within yourself for better ways to control the situation. See your problem in terms of general trends.

Thu.—June 15—MOON—Harmony easier to realize. Do home tasks with good will. Entertain the family. Use perception to grasp ideas that improve mutual funds.

Fri.—June 16—SUN—Desire for pleasure, personally satisfactory activities arise. Whatever you do, be your real self. Find joy in intimate contacts. Work quietly on creative projects, hobbies.

Sat.—June 17 — SUN — An active day to promote affairs of children. Do important shopping, decorate the house, express yourself in every way that gives you pleasure. Urges high, so be moderate.

Sun.—June 18—MERCURY — You seem occupied with many daily tasks and necessities. Do things for others but use energies constructively or you will tire easily. Finish up odd jobs.

Mon.—June 19—MERCURY—A working day where you are made aware of the influence of collective ideas as they affect your job. Don't buck necessity, restrictions.

Tue.—June 20—MERCURY—The returns of good work seem unexpectedly rewarding. Co-workers, those important on the job, appreciate skills, fine management.

Wed.—June 21 — VENUS — Accept what partners wish. You gain through tact, responsibility, realistic awareness of what it means when others have the lead. Serious-minded people are helpful, promote you.

Thu.—June 22—VENUS—Diplomacy still necessary in handling others but charm, the cheerful attitude, strengthens relationships. Foundational necessities should not be overlooked.

Fri. — June 23 — PLUTO — Unexpected turns to inter-dependent funds and projects can be irritating if you don't think through problems. The surprise element challenges your control. Neither suspicions nor unrealistic optimism constructive.

Sat.—June 24—PLUTO—Yesterday's unpredictable vibrations on money matters can be harmonized today on a practical basis. Those at home and your own institutional grasp provide guidance in procedures.

Sun.—June 25—JUPITER—You can raise your eyes above the mundane today and seek help through philosophy, religion, or reaching out to large horizons, through reading, lectures, etc. Let luck come to you. Pleasant surprises from loved ones likely.

Mon.—June 26—JUPITER—Continue like yesterday. Seek guidance, more satisfactory understanding, through those sources which put you in tune with the Infinite. Your concepts have much to do with your place in the world.

Tue. — June 27 — SATURN — Superiors, bosses, those related to your standing are impressed and your own ambitions advanced by tolerant and humanitarian attitudes.

Wed.—June 28—SATURN — Continue to feature whatever improves your worldly standing, material and otherwise. Evening be careful of careless talk, ungraciousness, that affects home folks.

Thu.—June 29—URANUS—The full Moon could bring realizations or terminations to friendship and romance. You stand a better chance of preserving ties if you don't ensnarl money and friends.

Fri.—June 30—URANUS—A routine day. Give group and community interests the benefit of applied ideas, clever advertising. Friendly activities favored.

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Have you heard the sighing, groaning,
Of a tree before the storm,
Heard the scraping of the branches
In the bending of its form?
Have you seen it sway and straighten,
Then be swayed again, again,
Seen the leaves like tiny banners,
Whipping, dripping in the rain?
Seen it in its strength and beauty,
Stand defiant in the blast,
Seen it proud and undefeated,
When the mighty winds have passed?

Have you seen a fellow mortal
Weighted down with many cares,
Heard him sigh when dread disaster,
Came upon him unawares?
Have you seen him bear it bravely,
Overcoming all his fears,
Seen him turn his face to heaven,
Gazing upward through his tears?
Seen his countenance of sorrow
Change and wear the victor's smile,
Seen him stand complete in triumph,
O'er the bitterness of trial?

Winds have ne'er uprooted timber,
Growing deep beneath the sod:—
Strife has never conquered mortals,
Who are rooted deep in God.

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